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POLLING FOR NYC MAYOR BEGINS

New York City's voters are deciding the outcome of a generational and ideological divide on Tuesday as they choose the next mayor to run the nation's largest city. Zohran Mamdani, who won the Democratic primary earlier this year, faces former Gov Andrew Cuomo, and Republican candidate Curtis Sliwa | **P14**

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Joint INDIA bloc action missing in anti-SIR fight

PREETHA NAIR @New Delhi

WHILE some Opposition-ruled states like Tamil Nadu, Kerala and West Bengal have intensified their protest against the Election Commission's Special Intensive Revision (SIR) of electoral rolls, the INDIA bloc is yet to come up with a collective strategy on the issue.

The DMK government in Tamil Nadu moved the Supreme Court on Monday challenging the SIR exercise, while West Bengal Chief Minister Mamata Banerjee hit the streets on Tuesday. The Kerala government is holding an all-party meeting to discuss the future course of action on the electoral roll revision.

However, the INDIA bloc parties haven't had a joint meeting or discussion ever since the EC announced the SIR for 12 states and Union Territories on October 27, a senior Opposition leader told this paper.

As the principal Opposition party, the onus lies with the Congress, the leader said. "The actions are now limited to the state level and there is no coordination between Opposition parties at the national level. The SIR exercise has already begun in some states and there is hardly any time left," said the leader.

A Congress leader said the party is likely to discuss the matter after the Bihar election. Significantly, the monsoon session of Parliament was a near washout the Congress-led Opposition insisted on a discussion on Bihar's SIR.

Although the TMC was part of the protests against the SIR during Parliament's monsoon session, the party now seems to be in no mood to be together with the INDIA bloc on this. TMC's Lok Sabha MP Saugata Roy said, "TMC will fight this battle alone". Another Opposition leader said the Congress is not taking the initiative as the SIR is not taking place in any Congress-ruled states.

2,100 Sikh pilgrims enter Pak via Wagah

HARPREET BAJWA @Chandigarh

IN a rare moment of religious diplomacy amidst curtailed bilateral ties and airspace ban following Operation Sindoor, About 2,100 Indian Sikh devotees crossed into Pakistan on Tuesday through the Attari-Wagah integrated border post to attend the 556th birth anniversary of Guru Nanak Dev. This is the first people-to-people contact between the neighbours since the May conflict.

The Pakistan government had issued 2,150 visas for the Sikh pilgrims, but this year India allowed only Indian citizens to participate, excluding Non-Resident Indians (NRIs), a departure from earlier years.

Palwinder Singh, in-charge of the Yatra Vibhag of Shiromani Gurdwara Parbandhak Committee (SGPC), said he was unaware of the reasons behind the decision.

The pilgrims are scheduled to return on November 13 after visiting key historic gur dwaras: Janamasthan in Nankana Sahib, Sri Panja Sahib in Hasan Abdal, Sacha Sauda in Farooqabad, and Darbar Sahib in Kartarpur. Upon reaching Lahore, the Sikh pilgrims led by Jathedar Akal Takht Giani Kuldip Singh Gargajj were accorded a warm welcome by Pakistan's Punjab province minister Ramesh Singh Arora and senior officials of the Pakistan Evacuee Trust Board.

The Sikh jatha from India being greeted in Pakistan on Tuesday | PTI

Chairman of Pakistan Evacuee Trust Board Dr Sajid Mehmood Chohan, Additional secretary Nasir Mustaq, vice president Pakistan Gurdwara Parbandhak Committee Mahesh Singh greeted the jatha.

EXPRESS READ

8 killed as passenger train rams goods train

Bilaspur: At least eight persons were killed and 16 others injured when a passenger train reportedly jumped a red signal and collided with a goods train from the rear near Bilaspur railway station in Chhattisgarh around 4 pm on Tuesday. Railway officials said that two to three persons are still feared trapped in the wreckage and rescue efforts are on | **P12**

28 illegal resorts in Kabini, say activists

KARTHIK K K @Mysuru

EVEN as the Mysuru region grapples with a surge in man-animal conflicts, particularly around Kabini backwaters and forest fringes of Bandipur and Nagarahole Tiger Reserves, at least 28 resorts and commercial establishments are operating illegally within the eco-sensitive zone (ESZ) or without no-objection certificates.

These properties, allegedly owned or backed by influential politicians, celebrities and senior government officials, are accused of blatant violations of environmental and wildlife protection laws. Copies of photographs, RTCs, documents and notices sent by departments, available with TNIE, reveal that these resorts have been constructed beyond permissible limits, have encroached government and forest land, lack mandatory NOCs from the forest and irrigation departments, and have not obtained proper town planning or gram panchayat approvals.

The list includes well-known luxury resorts, including government-owned Jungle Lodges and Resorts, and 14 others that are operating in violation of eco-sensitive zone and tiger reserve buffer zone regulations. **P7**

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4 militants shot dead in Manipur

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FOUR members of insurgent group United Kuki National Army (UKNA) were killed in an encounter with security forces in Churachandpur district of Manipur early on Tuesday.

Sources said 17 UKNA rebels were taking shelter at Khanpi village under Henglep subdivision. While four rebels were gunned down, others managed to flee. A search operation in the adjoining areas was in progress when reports last came in.

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● **Wedneday:** 05.11.2025 ● **Year:** Vishwavasu ● **Ayana:** Dakhsinayana
● **Ritu:** Sharad ● **Masa:** Karthika ● **Paksha:** Sukla ● **Tithi:** Purnima 07.01 pm
● **Nakshatra:** Ashwini 10.06 am ● Moon in Vrishabha Rashi ● **Rahukaala:** 12:00 pm to 01:30pm
● **Gulikakala**: 10:30 am to 12:00 pm ● **Yamaganda:** 07:30 am to 09:00 am

WEATHER

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FORECAST
Showers late. Overcast.

Sunrise	06.14 am
Sunset	05.51 pm
Moonrise	05.37 pm
Moonset	05.42 am

CONG TARGETS BJP

If Mumbai can have Tunnel Rd, why not B'luru?

Cong says why does BJP stop traffic solutions; Priyank backs DKS' project

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

IT-BT and Rural Development Minister Priyank Kharge reignited the debate on the 18-km underground tunnel road from Hebbal to Silk Board by quoting a news report about Mumbai's 70-km planned tunnel network, which aims to ease that city's traffic bottlenecks by linking Marine Drive, Worli, Bandra-Worli Sea Link, BKC and the airport.

Taking aim at the BJP, Kharge said, "Instead of misleading the public, @BJP4Karnataka should first pay attention to what Nitin Gadkari himself has advised for Bengaluru, and observe what the BJP government in Maharashtra is implementing with its tunnel infrastructure projects. Perhaps they should convince their own leadership before preaching to us."

His comments come amid rising political heat over Bengaluru's tunnel road, proposed by Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar as a solution to the city's traffic woes, but condemned by the BJP as "unscientific, elitist and wasteful". Shivakumar claims the tunnel road will "transform urban mobility" and has cited international models like Singapore's subterranean highways.

BJP has said it would start a campaign against it, arguing that the project benefits only car owners in affluent localities such as Sadashivanagar and Koramangala, while ignoring public transport solutions like Metro and suburban rail. On November 2, BJP leaders held a big protest at Lalbagh, pledging to fight the project "in Parliament, Assembly, and courts". The campaign has gained traction online under the hashtag #NoTunnelRoad.

Some experts, too, have raised alarm over environmental and economic risks. Bengaluru's rocky geology and fragile aquifers, they warn, could suffer severe damage without proper geological or environmental assessment. "The proposed Rs330 toll per trip could make the tunnel inaccessible to most citizens, while taxpayers would shoulder over Rs7,000 crore in public expenditure. Traffic planners fear the tunnel's entry and exit ramps could create 22 new choke points across the city," experts said.

While the Congress insists that "if tunnels are good for Mumbai, they cannot be bad for Bengaluru, why does BJP stop traffic solutions", urban researchers at the Indian Institute of Science caution that tunnels may reduce congestion only marginally, unless integrated with Metro, bus and car-use reduction measures. Bengaluru is ranked among one of the most congested cities in India, and experts say it loses "time at the wheel" due to traffic snarls.

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>
> Priyank Kharge, IT-BT Minister

SURYA ALLEGES LACK OF TRANSPARENCY

Bengaluru South MP Tejasvi Surya on Tuesday demanded that Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar respond to what he termed "10 critical and unanswered questions" about the Tunnel Road project's design, economic feasibility, and environmental and procedural compliance. Speaking at a press conference, Surya pointed to government data stating that private cars make up only 19% of all vehicles in Bengaluru. "Should a project funded by public money serve a small minority or the larger commuting population?" he asked, arguing that urban mobility investments should prioritise high-capacity public transport solutions rather than private vehicle movement. He criticised the government's plan to provide Rs 7,500 crore in Viability Gap Funding, noting that this is nearly equal to the cost of the entire 19 km Yellow Line Metro, which serves up to 90,000 passengers daily. "If the same investment can strengthen mass public transport, why push a project that increases distance, adds 2.5–3 km via entry ramps, and benefits a minority?" he said. **ENS**

HC directs state govt to regulate street vendors & food trucks

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THE Karnataka High Court directed the Union of India to enact a law or guidelines for restaurant businesses, bifurcating them into small, medium and large businesses, clearly indicating the hygiene, cooking processes, procurement of raw material, etc., in conformity with traditional Indian standards of cooking and cooking processes.

The court also directed the state government to bring in health and safety standard regulations for all street vendors and food trucks, and to create a mechanism for vigil over its strict implementation.

Upholding the constitutionality of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 and Regulations, the court directed that the Union of India should tripartite the guidelines of all nuances under the regulations into small, medium and large restaurants in line with the implementation of the regulations, owing to the necessity of health standards and apprehension of health hazards by bringing in appropriate regulations or guidelines. Justice M Nagaprasanna passed the order while disposing of the petitions filed by Karnataka Pradesh Hotel & Restaurants Association and Bruhat Bengaluru Hotels Association questioning the legality of a few provisions of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006, and the regulations framed thereunder.

The petitioners also challenged the letter dated March 13, 2012, issued by the state government for implementation of the norms framed by the Union Government directing all the states to implement rules and regulations, which are framed by the Food Safety and Standards Authority of India and mandating every food business operator to either get a licence or registration to carry on their business, and consequently declare a few provisions of the Act and regulations under it are unconstitutional.

The petitioners claimed the regulations framed under the Act are impossible to implement and they are not in line with India's requirements. The Food Safety Standards Act of the United States of America is paraphrased into the subject Act, they alleged.

The court said that the standards impugned cannot now be diluted upon a mere challenge to the regulations. The regulations in question merely institute a regulatory regime founded upon reason and necessity. The regulations are valid and must be strictly complied with, the court added.

RISKY ROADS

The KG Halli bus stop is in a shambles, piled high with gravel and other debris and dug up end-to-end, causing major inconvenience to road users | **KEVIN NASHON**

Ejipura flyover's down ramp work begins, traffic to be slow for 3 months

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
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WITH the Greater Bengaluru Authority's (GBA) infrastructure wing Bengaluru Smart Infrastructure Ltd (B-SMILE) taking up the down-ramp work for its much-delayed Ejipura Flyover, Srinivagilu Junction will witness slow-moving traffic for the next three months. Anticipating the work, the engineers had developed a 100 ft road from Domlur side towards Kendriya Sadan, which will ease traffic a bit while the pillar and casting work is taken up.

Chief Engineer, B-SMILE, Raghavendra Prasad said the work will be speeded up, and the target is to complete the project by March 2026. "The precast Segments have been erected between Pillars 25 and 26, and an inspection of the girders was done on 100 Ft Road, KHB Block and Koramangala 5th Block. The work on the Down Ramp at Srinivagilu began from Tuesday, and we hope to complete the work on this stretch up to the Water Tank near the BDA complex in three months," said the official.

He said the completion of the project will depend on St John's institute and one or two property owners agreeing to part ways with a certain portion of their property and agreeing to Transferable Development Rights (TDR). Some 700 metre stretch out of a 2.5 km flyover length has to be cleared. Efforts are on through the concerned department to get the land parcel for crucial stretches for the project that will ease traffic from North East Bengaluru to West and East Bengaluru," said an official.

'YES TO ACCESS' GOES TO DOHA

Platform that rates accessibility of public spaces for disabled goes global

AKNISREE KARTHIK
@ Bengaluru

DIGITAL solutions for 'infrastructure accessibility' — Yes to Access (YTA), developed by Bengaluru-based 'The Association of People with Disability' (APD) — is going global. It will be presented at the United Nations Second World Summit for Social Development, being held in Doha, Qatar, from November 4-6.

YTA is an AI-powered, community-led platform that maps and rates the accessibility of public spaces. The platform has mapped over 1.96 lakh spaces across 15 states with the help of over 10,000 citizen volunteers under the Sugamya Yatra initiative. Data collected through YTA supports accessibility audits and informs of inclusive urban planning.

"Accessibility is essential to place people at the centre of development. It enables persons with disabilities to participate fully in education, work and community life. Without accessibility, the goals of poverty eradication, full employment and social integration remain incomplete," said Jacob Kurien, Honorary Secretary and Trustee, APD, and a panellist presenting YTA at the UN Second World Summit.

In 2021, APD's accessibility study for Karnataka's Directorate of Municipal Administration revealed that expert audits, while valuable, are resource-intensive and unscalable. This insight inspired Yes to Access, an app to democratize accessibility checks through a simple, decentralised checklist that empowers citizens to identify and report barriers in their own communities, and for it to be represented on a map, Kurien said.

The app's AI-assisted interface and intuitive design make it simple for anyone to use, helping citizens, including persons with disabilities, to map, rate, and report accessibility barriers around them. What began as a community effort has grown into a citizen-led accessibility movement, he said.

Asked about the expected outcome of presenting this at the UN, Kurien said, "It is to showcase Yes to Access as a model from India that demonstrates good practices in inclusive, community-driven accessibility checks. The initiative strengthens social cohesion by empowering persons with disabilities and citizens to build more inclusive spaces together. Participation will help share these learnings globally, form partnerships, and gather insights to enhance its impact and reach."

This is APD's second UN event in two weeks. Last week, a delegation had been invited to Geneva to talk about their inclusive education programme.

Additional Secretary of the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (DEPwD), Government of India, Manmeet Nanda, who is also among the panellists of the 'Breaking Barriers, Building Inclusion Through Yes To Access' session, said, "AI technologies ... empower PwDs to lead independent lives, access opportunities and contribute meaningfully to society. However, true inclusion demands collaborative efforts — governments, NGOs, tech innovators and communities must align to ensure equitable deployment, addressing digital divides and ethical concerns like data privacy."

A family, whose home was demolished by the RPF during an eviction drive in KG Halli for the Suburban Rail Project, now stays at a makeshift tent | **KEVIN NASHON**

KRIDE FLOATS FRESH TENDERS FOR SUBURBAN RAIL CORRIDOR-2

Bengaluru: The Rail Infrastructure Development Company (Karnataka) Ltd (KRIDE), the implementing agency for the Bengaluru Suburban Rail Project (BSRP), has invited fresh tenders for the completion of pending work for the Mallige line/Corridor 2 in three packages after Larsen & Toubro "unilaterally and illegally" terminated the contracts. **ENS**

EXPRESS READ

Surya flags 'anomaly' in Metro fare calculation

Bengaluru: MP Tejasvi Surya has pointed out a "major error" in the way the Bengaluru Metro Rail Corporation Ltd (BMRCL) calculated fares before imposing the recent hike. At a review meeting on Tuesday, Surya said BMRCL used the wrong base year while determining maintenance and administrative (M&A) costs -- one of the key components considered by the Fare Fixation Committee (FFC) while approving fare revisions. Instead of using the 2017-18 cost data, which was the mandated reference year, BMRCL used figures from 2016-17, resulting in inflated cost projections. **ENS**

City to host national workshop on wastewater

Bengaluru: BWSSB, in association with NITI Aayog, will hold a national workshop on the reuse of treated wastewater in the city on Thursday and Friday. The workshop will bring together senior officials, policy experts and industry leaders from across India to shape a national strategy for sustainable water reuse. It will be inaugurated by DCM D K Shivakumar. BWSSB Chairman Ram Prasath Manohar said the event aims to develop a comprehensive national roadmap to make treated wastewater reuse an integral part of India's water security strategy. **ENS**

Horoscopes By Holiday

HOLIDAY MATHIS

05th November : Under the Beaver Supermoon Because beaver fur was once considered perfect for making the felt for high-quality hats such as the iconic top hat, beavers were nearly hunted to extinction. Conservation efforts have enabled a comeback for the keystone species, prized for ecological genius: creating wetlands, improving biodiversity and symbolizing the essential connection between all creatures.

ARIES
(Mar 21 - Apr. 20)

Real connection isn't built from good manners or social maneuvers; it's built from attention. You're genuinely curious, and others feel it. Let silence do some of the work. People will reveal themselves when you don't rush to fill space.

TAURUS
(Apr. 20 - May 20)

For now, relationships feel unusually clear and predictable. Actions directly lead to the expected reactions. There's no emotional fog. There's also no nuance. If you're kind, you get kindness back; if you withdraw, people pull away. The simplicity is refreshing.

GEMINI
(May 21 - June 21)

Give up on trying to make everything perfect. You're good at the task, and you get even better as you go, because you keep making the efforts. But if you constantly criticize and judge yourself, you won't have the energy to continue and improve.

CANCER
(June 22 - July 22)

The fickle forces of external motivation can be helpful sometimes, but they're unreliable. Instead of chasing bursts of inspiration, build structures that will make it easier to do the things you know will help you.

LEO
(July 23 - Aug. 22)

Don't be afraid to goof off. Silliness is what puts you at your attractive best. Others are drawn to your carefree spirit. Someone you pull into your orbit will be delighted to stay there.

VIRGO
(Aug. 23 - Sept. 22)

There's something you're trying to express, heal or understand. It's quieter than the demands of the day, but don't let the world distract you from this true purpose, which is so worthy of your focus. Remember your personal "why."

LIBRA
(Sept. 23 - Oct. 23)

Strength will show up in your life as integrity. It won't look like someone lifting improbable weight; it will look like consistent, grounded, predictable effort. Dominance and force are kinds of strength, but they're not the kind you're interested in.

SCORPIO
(Oct. 24 - Nov. 21)

Your instincts are golden. You'll simply act as though moved by providence, and the successful outcome will say it all. The outcome may not come immediately, though. In time a bright logic will emerge.

SAGITTARIUS
(Nov. 22 - Dec. 21)

Feelings are like clouds, constantly changing shape. Even as you identify with a feeling deeply, it's not who you are. The moment of discomfort isn't you. The moment of elation isn't either. Today, you'll ride these feelings to your next destination.

CAPRICORN
(Dec. 22 - Jan. 19)

The power of reciprocal energy will be a theme. You'll take part in that which replenishes you instead of depleting you. For instance, exercise takes energy, but the return is an even greater vitality than you had before.

AQUARIUS
(Jan. 20 - Feb. 18)

Everything you've lived is yours to interpret. You'll claim your own narrative by talking about or writing about your life and framing it all in the way that pleases, empowers and even heals you.

PISCES
(Feb. 19 - Mar 20)

The people who trigger us are mirrors. Instead of asking, "Why are they doing this to me?" try "What happens in me when I'm with them?" That shift moves you from blame to awareness, which is power.

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Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

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9	6	1	7	4	5	8	2	3
2	1	6	4	7	8	3	9	5
7	4	9	1	5	3	2	8	6
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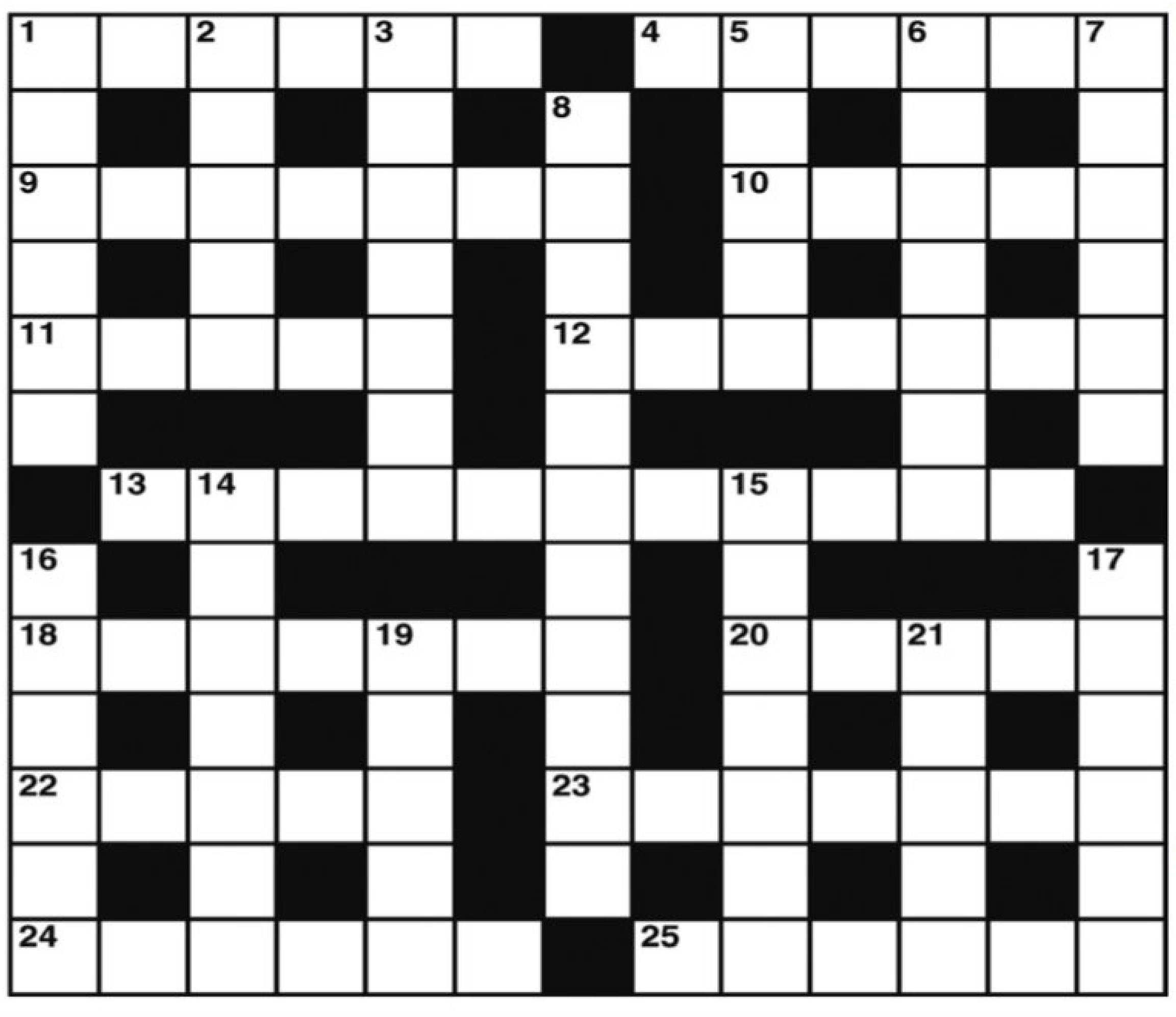

CROSS WORD

ACROSS

1 Aim to express disapproval (6)
4 Empty talk over the Sahara? (3,3)
9 One can't alter what's inborn (7)
10 Like the cubed root of carrot perhaps (5)
11 She gets it pat perhaps (5)
12 Stories about raids (7)
13 A status symbol (5,2,4)
18 Decorate one way or the other (7)
20 Clergyman provides transport after six (5)
22 Enter the lists? (5)
23 Use this and presumably all's well (7)
24 One who cares to make an offer (6)
25 Commander left lacking several divisions (6)

DOWN

1 Busy tenant (6)
2 Girl making article in stone (5)
3 Third-class packaging? (7)
5 Give instructions to society (5)
6 Where lots go despite rising prices (7)
7 The pungent root in an extra dish (6)
8 It checks on underground movement (11)
14 Longin' for a painkiller (7)
15 Even in sorrow taxpayers contribute to it (7)
16 Important advocate not without heart (6)
17 In time a little beast will make mistakes (6)
19 It naturally beats peas and beans (5)
21 Long after getting key to the treasure (5)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Infanta, 5 Secco, 8 Press for money, 9 Lehar, 10 Impious, 11 Grille, 12 Apathy, 15 Offence, 17 Roods, 19 Breaking point, 20 Ended, 21 Sweater.

Down: 1 Impel, 2 Fresh-air fiend, 3 Nostril, 4 Adonis, 5 Sum up, 6 Contortionist, 7 Odyssey, 11 Goodbye, 13 Porkpie, 14 Tennis, 16 Naked, 18 Satyr.

JUMBLE

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BY DAVID L. HOYT AND JEFF KNUREK

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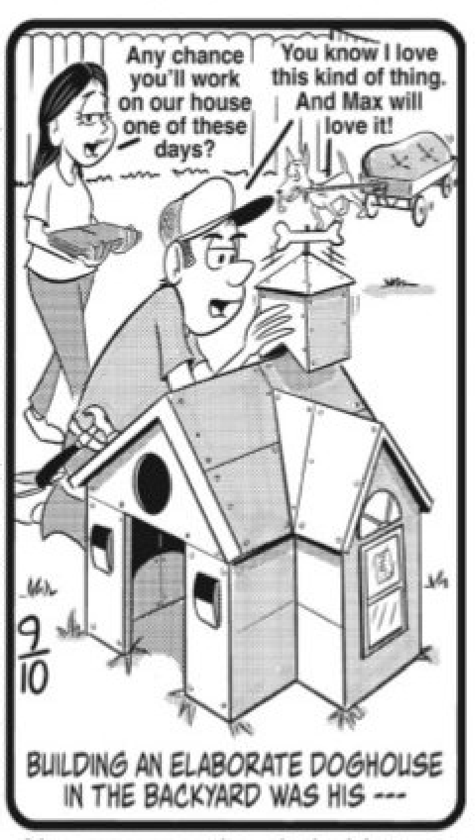
Any chance you'll work on our house one of these days?
You know I love this kind of thing. And Max will love it!
9/10
BUILDING AN ELABORATE DOGHOUSE IN THE BACKYARD WAS HIS ---

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

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Answer here: ○○○ ○○○○○○○

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's | Jumbles: PROVE BLISS CABANA CATTLE
Answer: Even with thousands of satellites in orbit, there's still — SPACE AVAILABLE

35-year-old man who attempted suicide along with his four-year-old daughter were rescued due to timely intervention by the Panambur police. Rajesh, a resident of Ambikanagar in Kavoor, who had a marital dispute with his wife, was the person who was rescued

Duo giving gold loans sans interest abscond, arrested

SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE Economic Offences Wing of the Central Crime Branch (CCB) arrested two men who cheated the public by offering zero per cent interest on gold loans. The accused had opened a jewellery shop in Vidyaranyapura, advertising zero per cent interest on gold loans to attract the public. Believing the advertisement, many customers pledged their gold ornaments and took loans. The accused closed the shop and fled with gold and silver ornaments worth around Rs 1.8 crore.

Around 1.4kg of gold ornaments and 5kg of silver were seized from the arrested duo, identified as Salaam and Ajith. "When the victims pledged their ornaments, they were given only 50-60 per cent of the actual value of the pledged gold and were told not to redeem their jewellery for at least 11 months. During this period, the accused illegally sold the pledged gold to another jewellery shop in HRBR Layout, earning a profit of 40-50 per cent. Under this scheme, around 4kg of gold was misappropriated. After 11 months, the accused closed the shop and absconded," said an officer.

Two weeks ago, the main accused arrested from his residence in Peenya. Preliminary probe revealed that the accused were involved in similar fraudulent activities in Dakshina Kannada district and Kerala.

10 fraudsters in net for 'money rain' ritual, RBI smells a rat

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
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HALASURU Gate police arrested 10 fraudsters from various parts of the city and neighbouring Andhra Pradesh, following a complaint from the manager of Reserve Bank of India (RBI) on October 17, stating that currency notes of Rs 2000 denomination that had been withdrawn from circulation, were altered by changing their serial numbers and submitted to the RBI.

The arrested are Mohan K, Shreenivasa Murthy, Raju, Basavaraj, Munishamappa, Mallikarjun, Ramakrishna, Pally Muralidhar, Ramachandra and Mubarak. Police are on the lookout for a woman who was part of the gang. During investigation, the person who had deposited the altered money at the RBI was apprehended from his residence in Cubbonpet on October 24.Upon interrogation, the accused confessed to having deposited Rs 40,000 at the bank, stating that he had received the money from two acquaintances who had promised him a commission. These two persons were traced and apprehended near Mysore Bank Circle on the same day. On October 25, the three accused were produced before court and remanded in police custody for six days.

Further interrogation revealed that the accused had received Rs 8 lakh in Rs 2,000 notes from three persons known to them, to be deposited at RBI and transfer the equivalent amount to their accounts. The three persons who had given Rs 8 lakh were apprehended near Majestic Bus Stand on October 26. During interrogation, they confessed that they had cheated the public by falsely claiming that if they performed a special ritual using Rs 2,000 notes (except the O, OO, OP and OU series printed in 2018 with consecutive serial numbers withdrawn from circulation), it would multiply the money hundredfold and cause a "rain of money". By convincing people of this fraudulent ritual, they collected Rs 2,000 withdrawn notes from the public, according to a press note from the office of the Commissioner of Police.

The three accused were produced before court and remanded in police custody for nine days. Based on their information, three individuals who had fallen prey to the scam were apprehended from various locations in Andhra Pradesh on October 28. They confessed to being involved in the offence, and Rs 6 lakh worth of Rs 2,000 denomination notes were seized from them. They provided information about the person who altered the serial numbers, note series, and year printed on the notes. He was traced and apprehended from his residence in Yeshwanthpur on the same day, and Rs 6 lakh worth of Rs 2,000 denomination notes and equipment used for modifying the note details were seized, according to the press note.

Rs 18 lakh worth of Rs 2,000 denomination notes were seized. On November 3, all the accused were produced before court, which remanded them in judicial custody.

Dancer killed as truck rams parked car

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A 35-year-old flower decorator, who has participated in multiple dance and other reality shows, died in a road accident at Pemmanahalli in Nelamangala on Tuesday morning.

The victim, Sudheendra, was standing behind his yet to be registered car after parking it on the road side. It is said that since the car developed some problem, he was talking to his brother on the phone.

A speeding canter that came from behind hit him. Sudheendra was stuck between the canter and his car and sustained severe injuries. He was immediately rushed to a nearby hospital where he died while undergoing medical care. The CCTV footage of the accident has gone viral.

The Dabaspet police arrested the canter driver identified as Vedha Kumar.

Sudheendra, who had bought the car on Monday, had gone to his brother Raghavendra's house to show the car. After taking his brother and the latter's family for a drive, he left. Within sometime, the victim called his brother and told him that the car has some problem as it was not starting. Sudheendra asked his brother to come to Pemmanahalli. By the time, his brother went there, Sudheendra was found lying unconscious.

A case of death by negligence under section 106 of BNS has been registered against the canter driver.

NOVEMBER NUTS

Women purchase groundnuts in Malleswaram, Bengaluru, where the Kadalekai Parishe will be held for three days from November 8 | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

SPARSH opens comprehensive cancer care institute in Bengaluru

Bengaluru: SPARSH Hospitals on Tuesday opened the SPARSH Institute of Cancer Care at its 300-bed Hennur Road facility in Bengaluru. Actor Shivarajkumar and actress Prema inaugurated the facility, which brings together medical, surgical and radiation oncology, haematology, nuclear medicine and palliative care under one centre. The new facility offers nuclear medicine, medical, surgical and radiation oncology, adult and paediatric haematology, and dedicated palliative and supportive care services. It also houses advanced PET-CT and MRI scanners, modular oncology operation theatres, HEPA-enabled bone marrow transplant suites, a Chemotherapy Day Care Unit, and dedicated onco-pathology and molecular testing laboratories. A Central Venous Catheter clinic further supports real-time monitoring for patients undergoing intensive treatment. Two additional cancer institutes are expected to be opened in Bengaluru within the coming year. Justice Shivaraj V Patil, former judge of Supreme Court, Dr Shekar Patil, Director, Oncology Services, Sparsh Hospitals, and others were present.

Shop owner murdered by armed intruder

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A 40-year-old provision store owner was murdered by an unidentified man at Kittaganahalli in Anekal taluk on Tuesday.

The deceased has been identified as Madesh, a resident of Kachanayakanahalli and a native of Barandur near Denkanikottai in Tamil Nadu.

Armed with a knife and an air gun, the accused barged into Madesh's house and slit his throat. Madesh was alone at home when the attack took place, according to the police.

Madesh's neighbour, who saw the accused escaping on a bike, tried to stop him. But the accused attacked him and managed to escape.

Apart from the air gun and knife, the police recovered a metal detector, torch, helmet and a bag from the room where Madesh was murdered. Madesh suffered from gangrene and lived alone. The accused did not take away Rs 2 lakh in cash which was in the house. Madesh recently sold his ancestral property at Denkanikottai and was constructing a house in the city. "We suspect that Madesh knew the accused," a police officer said.

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"The Congress is exploiting SC community for votes," alleged former MLA Appachu Ranjan. Inaugurating the BJP SC Morcha unit at Siddapura on Tuesday, he accused the Congress government of seeking votes in the name of Dr BR Ambedkar

BJP state president extends support to ryots, warns of escalating agitation

Sugarcane farmers intensify stir; B'gavi towns observe shutdown

A large gathering of sugarcane farmers stages an indefinite protest in Gurlapur, near Belagavi, on Tuesday | EXPRESS

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THE ongoing agitation by sugarcane farmers demanding fair pricing and payment of pending dues has taken a dramatic turn, with protests erupting across Belagavi district and several towns observing a complete shutdown on Tuesday.

Farmers, backed by Kannada organisations, have called for a bandh in Athani, which has spread to Chikkodi, Gurlapur, Jamboti, and Gokak, bringing normal life to a standstill. Shops and businesses remained voluntarily closed, while major highways were blocked by farmers at multiple locations, including the Gokak-Athani road and Darur-Halyal bridge.

In Hukkeri, farmers' associations enforced a total bandh demanding a revised minimum price for sugarcane. The town remained completely paralysed as protesters held a massive rally from Adavisiddeshwar Mutt to Court Circle, culminating in a highway blockade and an overnight sit-in protest. Police diverted vehicular movement through alternative routes as farmers erected barricades and parked earth-moving equipment across the roads to block traffic.

Vijayendra extends support

At Shivayogi Circle, hundreds of protesters blocked the Jamboti-Sankeshwar-Jewargi state highway, where BJP state president BY Vijayendra joined them in a show of solidarity. Addressing the agitating farmers, he came down heavily on the Congress government, accusing it of total neglect of farmers' distress.

"Farmers are suffering today, devastated by heavy rain, yet no minister, not even the in-charge or revenue minister visited North Karnataka. Farmers are again forced to take to the streets, but the government remains unmoved," Vijayendra said.

The BJP leader demanded that the government announce Rs 3,500 per tonne as the price for sugarcane and settle pending payments without delay.

"We are giving the government time till this evening. If it fails to respond positively, we will launch a statewide intensified agitation," he warned. With protests spreading and highways blocked in multiple districts, the farmers' movement has now escalated into one of the largest agrarian confrontations the state has witnessed in recent times, posing a major political challenge to the Siddaramaiah government.

VIJAYENDRA WARNS OF POWER STRUGGLE FOR CM'S POST AFTER BIHAR POLLS

Launching a scathing attack on the Congress government, in Belagavi on Tuesday, BJP state president **BY Vijayendra** accused it of displaying complete apathy towards protesting sugarcane farmers in Gurlapur, and warned that a fierce power struggle for the CM's post will erupt soon after the Bihar polls. He said, "Thousands of farmers have taken to the streets demanding fair prices. The state government must respond immediately. A responsible government should understand how to act in such a situation." He urged that the farmers' cause should rise above party politics. "Whenever farmers' issues are at stake, we must stand united, beyond political lines. I am here after consulting party leaders to extend full support to the farmers," he said. Reminding CM Siddaramaiah of past events, Vijayendra recalled, "When farmer Vithal Arabavi ended his life in Belagavi, years ago, BS Yediyurappa fought relentlessly, ensuring an additional Rs 150 per tonne for sugarcane growers. That was real leadership." The BJP leader also accused the government of ignoring the plight of farmers affected by floods in Kalyana Karnataka, saying ministers and officials have failed to act, despite repeated pleas for compensation. "Every year, about 6 million tonnes of sugarcane is crushed in the state, earning the government nearly Rs 55,000 crore in revenues. Yet, the Congress government shows little concern for those farmers who make that possible. Everyone knows who the sugar mill owners are," he charged. Turning to state politics, he hinted at an impending leadership tussle within the ruling party. "A war for the CM's chair has already begun. After the Bihar Assembly polls, the intensity of that battle will become clear," he predicted.

Ryots, factory owners must be treated fairly, says Hebbalkar

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@ Belagavi

REACTING to the ongoing massive indefinite agitation by sugarcane farmers at Gurlapur, near Belagavi, demanding higher procurement prices, Women and Child Development Minister **Laxmi Hebbalkar** on Tuesday said both farmers and factory owners must be treated fairly.

"We too come from farming families. Just because we own factories doesn't mean we are unaware of farmers' hardships. Injustice should not be done either to farmers or to factory owners," she said in Belagavi.

On the protest, she said, "Two meetings have been held. I couldn't attend as I was busy with official work, but my brother and son are in regular touch with farmers. A joint meeting of farmers and factory owners will be convened soon. However, price negotiations must be handled sensitively and they can't be approached in a confrontational way."

On BJP leaders joining the farmers' protest, she said, "Let everyone join the farmers' struggle, but they should leave politics aside. We all know BJP's so-called concern for farmers. The country also knows how the central government crushed farmers' protests earlier and how many lives were lost. If BJP state president Vijayendra truly cares for farmers, let him prove it through action," she said.

Meanwhile, Leader of Opposition in the Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi is expected to attend the Anganwadi golden jubilee celebrations, to be held in Bengaluru on November 19. Hebbalkar reiterated that Rahul has been invited to attend the big event.

Release of Karnataka Skill Poli
2025

CM Siddaramaiah, DCM DK Shivakumar, and Minister for Skill Development, Entrepreneurship & Livelihood Dr Sharan Prakash Patil, among others, inaugurate the first edition of Bengaluru Skill Summit on Tuesday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

Mission to make K'taka skill capital of India, says CM

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@ Bengaluru

CHIEF Minister Siddaramaiah said that the state is aiming to skill three million youth by 2032 and increase enrollment in women's Industrial Training Institutes (ITI) to 33% while inaugurating the first edition of Bengaluru Skill Summit on Tuesday.

Siddaramaiah said the summit operationalises the Karnataka Skill Development Policy 2025–32, first announced in his previous Budget.

The seven-year strategy, with an outlay of Rs 4,432 crore, aims to position Karnataka as a global hub for a future-ready and inclusive workforce.

He said the seven-year strategic blueprint will double district-level skilling capacity and strengthen international placements through the International Migration Centre - Karnataka . "As we look ahead, our mission is clear — to make Karnataka the Skill Capital of India and a $1 trillion economy by 2032, powered by talent, technology and tenacity," the CM said.

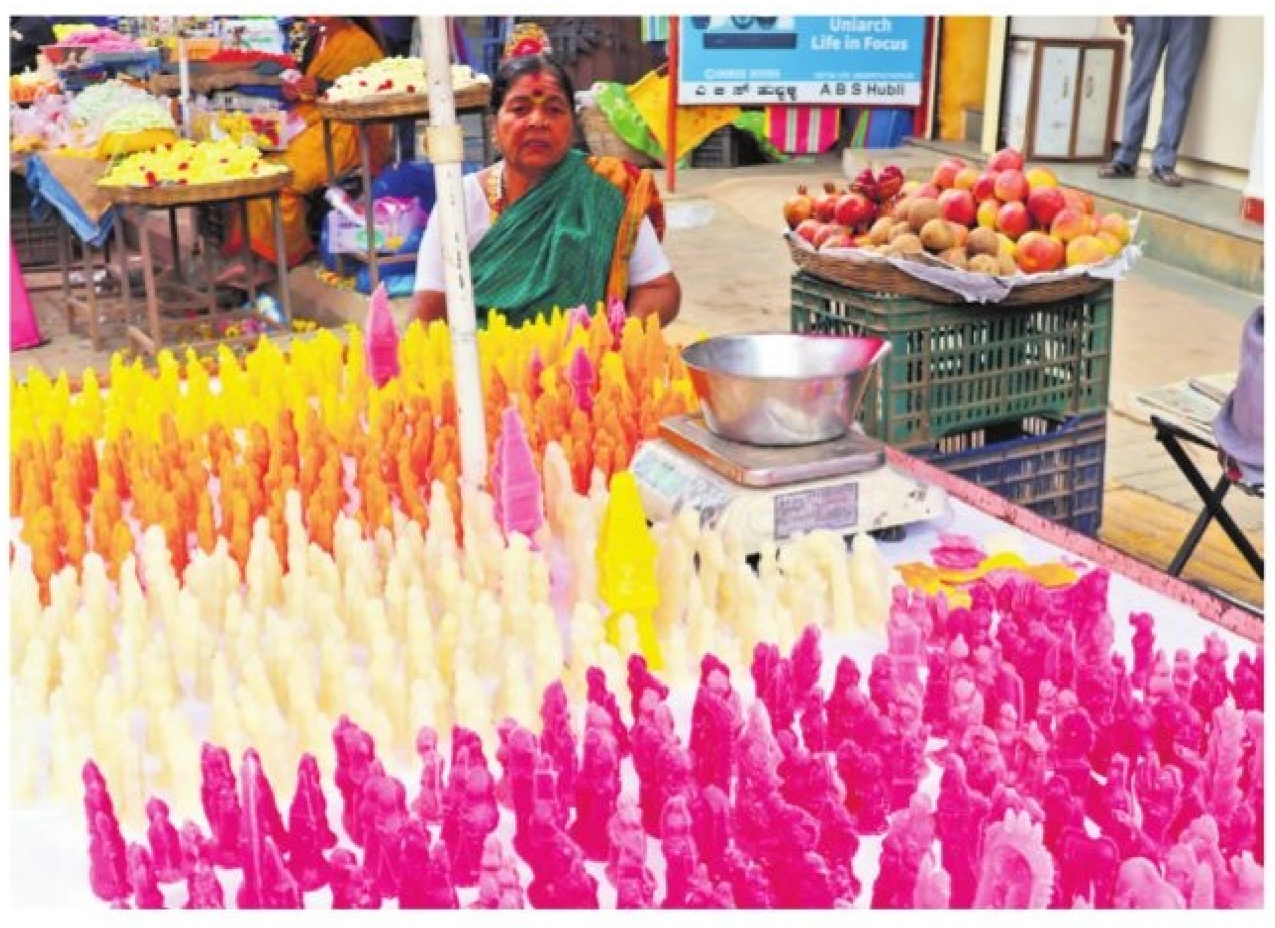
Minister for Skill Development, Entrepreneurship & Livelihood Dr Sharan Prakash Patil said "Bengaluru is not just the Silicon Valley of India, it is also the skill capital of India. Our youth are not just job seekers — they are job creators, innovators and global contributors."

He outlined five priority pillars: future skills (AI, robotics, green mobility, healthcare, advanced manufacturing); industry-led curriculum; skilling beyond degrees; global mobility opportunities; and inclusive skilling for rural youth, women and marginalised communities. "We are aligning skilling programs to future industry needs, not yesterday's curriculum. Government alone cannot shape the future of skills. This mission requires partnership," he said.

Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar, emphasising Bengaluru's global reputation, said, "India is seen through Bengaluru. Whatever the sector — startups, innovation or technology — we have consistently shown leadership," and added, "We are open for collaboration, open for discussion and open for knowledge sharing."

The theme for this year is 'Workforce 2030: Scale, Systems, Synergy' and focuses on expanding opportunities at scale, strengthening systems for quality and relevance, and building synergies among various stakeholders.

The summit is hosted by Karnataka Skill Development Corporation (KSDC), in collaboration with the Karnataka Skill Development Authority (KSDA).



SWEET BEGINNINGS

A hawker waits for customers by her cart displaying dolls made of sugar, for sale on the eve of Gowri Hunnime, in Hubballi market on Tuesday | D HEMANTH

Cong govt must hold grand Tipu Jayanti: IUML

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@ Mangaluru

INDIAN Union Muslim League, Dakshina Kannada district committee, on Tuesday demanded that the Congress government in the state celebrate Tipu Sultan Jayanti in a grand manner.

Addressing a press conference, C Abdul Rahiman, district committee president, alleged that the ruling party has not celebrated Tipu Jayanti in the past two years, amid opposition from the BJP.

''Tipu Sultan is a true patriot and promoted religious tolerance. He fought against the British and sacrificed his life for the nation. He also sacrificed his two sons for the nation. For his fearless fight, he was given the title 'Tiger of Mysore'," he claimed, adding, "Tipu's birth anniversary is celebrated on November 10, but for the past few years, Tipu Jayanti is not being observed in the state. This is unacceptable." He further claimed that historical references on Tipu Sultan have been dropped from school textbooks.

Stating that the Congress came to power with the help of Muslim votes, and has neglected Tipu Sultan, he demanded that Chief Minister Siddaramaiah celebrate Tipu Jayanti in a grand manner.

"If not, Speaker UT Khader, minister BZ Zameer Ahmed Khan and all other ministers and MLAs must resign," he added.

Strict norms adopted to buy life-saving drugs

ASHWINI M SRIPAD @ Bengaluru

THE state government has initiated steps to ensure supply of quality life-saving drugs to its hospitals after five young mothers died in Ballari because of the use of substandard IV fluids a few months ago.

The Karnataka State Medical Supplies Corporation Ltd (KSMSCL) has been allowed to invite tenders worth Rs 800 crore with stringent guidelines, including multiple checks and testing each batch of drugs.

The corporation is the nodal agency to procure drugs, consumables and equipment for health institutions run by the government. There are over 2,700 such health institutions across the state, including hospitals, primary health centres and community health centres, which use over 880 life-saving drugs. The corporation has invited 30 tenders for 100 drugs worth Rs 485 crore.

Officials said the health department has introduced many changes in the tendering process to ensure better quality drugs. While earlier, the medicines were procured in one go for the entire year, now, they will be ordered in phases. This will ensure drugs are used before their expiry date and frees up space at local drug warehouses. It will also reduce the risk of drugs becoming "Not of Standard Quality (NSQ)" due to climate variations, an official said.

Suppliers have to deliver general drugs within 30 days of production, while injections, IV fluids and sterile products within 40 days. Imported medicines should have a minimum of 60% shelf-life at the time of delivery. A team of experts will visit pharmaceutical units and conduct checks, the official said.

KSMSCL MD M Kanagavalli said that a quarantine system has been introduced at all warehouses to ensure the drugs retain quality. "Product quality used to be verified based on manufacturers' in-house or National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories' (NABL) reports. Now, we have ten laboratories across the country to test all batches of drugs. Only after receiving standard quality reports, will the products be released for distribution," she added.

Testing will be done at all stages and if there is any issue, officials concerned will be held accountable. Aushada software has a module that allows health institutions to report complaints of adverse reactions due to use of drugs.

Health Minister Dinesh Gundu Rao said the department has taken several measures and adopted the best drug procurement practices of Tamil Nadu and Kerala. "We have relaxed the tender process to ensure participation of more companies. There were issues related to payment, which has been taken care of,'' he added.

Peace meet on RSS march in Bengaluru today

RAMAKRISHNA BADSESHI
@ Kalaburagi

THE second high-level peace committee meeting on allowing RSS Patha Sanchalana (Route March) at Chittapur is being held in Bengaluru on Wednesday as per the directions of the Kalaburagi Bench of Karnataka High Court.

Hearing an RSS petition on October 24 seeking permission to conduct the route march, the court asked the organisation whether it is ready to hold the march on November 2. When RSS agreed, high court judge Justice MG Shukure Kamal asked RSS to submit a fresh application before the Kalaburagi district administration. The district administration was instructed to conduct the peace committee meeting on October 28 inviting RSS and other organisations that also wanted to take out route marches at Chittapur at the same time and on the same day.

The district administration asked all the 10 organisations to send 3 representatives each to the peace committee meeting. Advocate General Shashikiran Shetty told the court that the district administration could not arrive at an amicable solution as all parties stuck to their stand of holding route marches on the same day.

The judge asked Shetty to chair the peace committee meeting and to invite selected representatives of concerned organisations, including RSS, and top officers of the district administration to Bengaluru. The judge also instructed Shetty to make every effort to find a solution and submit a report on November 7.

Kalaburagi DC Fouzia Tarannum, SP Adduru Srinivasalu, Chittapur tahsildar and CPI of Chittapur are likely to attend the meeting at 4.30 pm on Wednesday. Ashok Patil Chincholi too said he will participate along with advocates Satyanarayan Acharya and Arun Sham.

COURT RESERVES ORDER ON STAY

DHARWAD: The Dharwad bench of the Karnataka High Court on Tuesday reserved its verdict on the state government challenging a stay ordered by a single-judge bench of the same court on the government restricting private organisations from holding events in public places. The government order was believed to be mainly aimed at RSS. The divisional bench of Justices SG Pandit and Geeta KB heard the arguments and counter-arguments for about an hour and then reserved its verdict. Four parties had approached the high court, challenging the state government's order, which stated that any gathering of ten or more people in public places would be considered illegal. The single-judge bench of Justice M Nagaprasanna had then ordered an interim stay. **ENS**

Senior Congress MLA HY Meti passes away at 79

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@ Bagalkot

SENIOR Congress MLA and former minister **HY Meti** passed away at a private hospital in Bengaluru on Monday following a prolonged illness. He was 79, and was undergoing treatment for the past several days. Chief Minister Siddaramaiah had inquired about his health and wished him a speedy recovery just two days ago.

Hullappa Yamanappa Meti hailed from a farming family in Timmapur village of undivided Vijayapura district. Born on October 9, 1946, he studied up to 8th standard before turning his attention to public service and politics.

He began his political career with Janata Dal and was first elected as an MLA from Guledagudda constituency in 1989. He retained the seat in 1994 and served as forest minister in the Ramakrishna Hegde cabinet from 1994 to 1996. Later, he resigned to contest the Lok Sabha elections from Bagalkot in 1996.

In 2004, Meti was again elected as an MLA from Guledagudda on a JDS ticket. He joined Congress in 2008 and went on to win the Assembly elections from Bagalkot in 2013. During the Siddaramaiah-led government, he served as excise minister from 2016 to 2017 before stepping down from the post.

Over the years, Meti held several important positions, including as a director of the DCC Bank and chairman of the Bagalkot Town Development Authority.

A veteran leader with decades of public service, Meti was known for his grassroots connect and dedication to rural development.

Family sources said his last rites would be performed at his ancestral Timmapur village on Wednesday.

Several leaders condoled his death. District in-charge Minister RB Timmapur called him a man associated with his roots and one committed to development. "He was a simple and down-to-earth man who never craved power, but to remain with people. Because of his simple nature, he had no enemies and was a friend of all," he said.

Siddu, DKS recall Meti's contributions to party

BENGALURU: Condoling the death of Congress MLA HY Meti, DCM DK Shivakumar on Tuesday said the release of his book 'Neerina Hejje', scheduled for Wednesday, has been postponed. He said, "Meti was close to me. He came to the party along with Siddaramaiah and was with the party as an MLA and minister. May God give his family strength to deal with the loss." CM Siddaramaiah said Meti had done good work as forest minister, legislator, and as a parliamentarian. He was loyal to the party and always worked in its best interests, he added.

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The National Livelihood Mission under the Department of Skill Development, Entrepreneurship and Livelihood, has signed a three-year MoU with Walmart Vriddhi to help self-help groups (SHGs) adopt digital tools and e-commerce. Under the partnership, Walmart Vriddhi, through its implementation partner Ideas to Impact Foundation, will offer free digital learning resources, business tools and mentorship to SHGs across the state

’18 murder: Life term for 2 killers on victim’s b’day

He was attacked for asking to ride properly

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SEVEN years after a restaurateur in JP Nagar was bludgeoned to death on the road late at night, a city court has sentenced the two accused for rigorous imprisonment for life.

For the father of Siddarth Kaushal (26), the victim, the court verdict was bittersweet as it came on the birthday of his son.

The convicts were identified as Girish (21) and Mahesh (19).

Siddarth, a Bihar native and an engineering and MBA graduate who was running a hotel in JP Nagar, was murdered in the wee hours of June 26, 2018, in MICO Layout area.

He was going towards Electronics City with a group of friends in his car. Enroute, he parked his car as the other friends who were on a bike were yet to come. At the same time, when Siddarth was urinating, the two accused who were on a two-wheeler deliberately hit him with the bike's mirror and went ahead. The victim told them in Hindi to 'look ahead and ride'. Frustrated over this, the accused picked a fight with the victim as he was an outsider.

They escaped after attacking him with a blunt weapon. Siddarth was hospitalised but succumbed to injuries four days later.

Following a complaint from one of Kaushal's friends, the MICO Layout police arrested the two accused.

"The verdict was announced on my son's birthday which was on October 24. The court has sentenced both the accused to rigorous life imprisonment and has also imposed a fine of Rs 10,000 each. I thank the judiciary and the city police for giving us justice. We do not have anybody in Bengaluru. We even celebrated Diwali following the judgment. I thank the MICO Layout police for taking the case to a logic end," said Kaushalendra Pandey (58), the victim's father.

TV actress, woman sexually harassed in 2 separate incidents

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IN two separate incidents, two women including a 41-year-old television actress were sexually harassed in the city.

The incidents happened in Annapoorneshwari Nagar and Indiranagar police station limits. The Annapoorneshwari Nagar police arrested a delivery manager for stalking and sexually harassing a 41-year-old television actress by sending obscene videos and vulgar messages on social media. The accused was harassing the victim for the past three months.

The victim, a resident of D Group Layout, had filed a police complaint on Saturday against the accused. The police on Monday arrested the accused identified as Naveen K Mon who works for a recruitment firm in Whitefield.

The victim received a friend request on her Facebook account from a user ‘Naveenz’. As she did not accept the friend request, the accused started sending vulgar messages on Messenger. Unable to bear his harassment, the victim blocked him. He then created fake accounts and continued to sexually harass her by sending vulgar messages and videos and photographs of his private parts. The accused was remanded in judicial custody.

In the other incident, a 33-year-old woman was sexually harassed by an unidentified man on Saturday morning. The incident happened between 11.55 am and 11.57 am in Domlur 2nd stage when the victim was walking her dog. The woman in her complaint has stated that when she was walking her dog, she heard someone calling ‘madam’ from behind. When she turned, she saw the man staring and flashing at her. The accused said to be aged around 30 years was wearing a brown T shirt and grey shorts. The accused is alleged to have continued the obscene act despite the fact that she stood shocked. The victim then rushed back to her flat on 100 Feet Road and called her sister and informed her about the incident.

She also informed her another friend and filed the complaint on Sunday. The police are checking the CCTV footage in the vicinity to get clues of the accused. The Indiranagar police have registered a case of sexual harassment under Section 75 of BNS.

POST FROM PAST

Children during the inauguration of ‘Bengalurupex-2025’, a district-level philatelic exhibition at Chitrakala Parishath in Bengaluru, on Tuesday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

FOLLOWING ONLINE POST

Inspector suspended for seeking bribe

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@ Bengaluru

FOLLOWING the suspension of two police personnel, Bellandur Police Inspector Ramesh Rotty was suspended on Monday after the former CFO of a central PSU, Sivakumar, alleged that the officer demanded a bribe after the death of his only daughter.

Sivakumar’s social media post on the issue had gone viral. Earlier, Police Sub-Inspector (PSI) Santosh and Constable Goraknath were suspended.

Police Commissioner Seemant Kumar Singh ordered the suspension on grounds of dereliction of duty, based on a detailed inquiry conducted by senior officers of the Whitefield Police Division.

In a detailed LinkedIn post, Sivakumar shared his ordeal a month after his daughter’s death, writing that he wanted to “share with everyone the state of affairs when one loses their dear one.” He described how he had to deal with corruption and apathy from multiple agencies.

Akshaya Sivakumar (34), an IIT Madras and IIM Ahmedabad graduate who worked in the city, died of a brain haemorrhage on September 18.

His post, which went viral, was later deleted under alleged pressure. According to family members, the ambulance driver initially demanded Rs 3,000 to shift the body but later sought an additional Rs 2,000. The police allegedly demanded Rs 10,000 to allow the postmortem, claiming there was “foul play” in the death.

After Sivakumar’s former employer intervened, the police allowed the post-mortem, and the family paid Rs 5,000 at the Bellandur police station to receive the report. They also paid Rs 2,000 at the Mahadevapura (Bengaluru East City Corporation) office for the death certificate.

3 cops suspended for assaulting domestic worker

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THREE crime staff attached to Varthur police station have been suspended for allegedly assaulting a 34-year-old domestic worker, Sundari Bibi, and her husband. Bibi, a native of West Bengal, works as a house help, while her husband is employed as a garbage collector.

The suspended personnel have been identified as Sanjay Rathod, Santosh Kudari and Archana. The action follows a complaint lodged on October 30 by Priyanka Jhanwal, a resident of Sobha Dream Acres Apartment, accusing her domestic worker of stealing a diamond ring. During the interrogation, Bibi and her husband were allegedly beaten with lathis. Her screams reportedly alerted a local social worker, who intervened. Bibi subsequently approached the Karnataka State Human Rights Commission and filed a formal complaint, while her husband raised the issue with the West Bengal Migrant Department.

Home Minister Dr G Parameshwar sought a report from Bengaluru Police Commissioner Seemant Kumar Singh.

Foreign national arrested with drugs worth ₹75L

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@Bengaluru

THE Bandepalya police arrested a 45-year-old foreign national and have recovered MDMA and cocaine worth Rs 75 lakh.

The accused has been identified as Chibuzo Godwin Onuigbo. On October 30, the police received information from an informant that a person was selling banned narcotic substances MDMA tablets and cocaine powder near Somasundarapalya Lake. The police rushed to the spot mentioned by the informant, conducted a raid, and apprehended him. The accused said he had come to India in 2018 on a business visa and started garment trade in Delhi. About three months ago, he came to the city and began living with an acquaintance. During this period, he started buying MDMA tablets and cocaine powder at low prices from an unknown person in the city and selling them at higher prices to college students and other customers.

The police have recovered 752 grams of MDMA tablets, eight grams of cocaine powder, and one two-wheeler used for the illegal activity from the accused. On the next day, the accused was produced before the court which remanded him to judicial custody.

KERALA RAJBHAVAN
(OFFICE OF THE CHANCELLOR, UNIVERSITY OF CALICUT)
NOTIFICATION
No: GS3-964/2024
Thiruvananthapuram,
dated 03rd November, 2025.
Applications/Nominations are invited for the appointment of **Vice Chancellor** in the University of Calicut as per the provisions of the Calicut University Act 1975 & the UGC Regulations, 2018. Detailed notification and the format of the application can be downloaded from the website: **https://uoc.ac.in**
Last date of receipt of nomination/application: 05.12.2025
Scan to Apply

MALABAR CANCER CENTRE
(POST GRADUATE INSTITUTE OF ONCOLOGY SCIENCES & RESEARCH)
NABH & NABL Accredited (an autonomous Institution under Government of Kerala
Thalassery, Kannur, Kerala - 670 103,Phone :+91 490 2399244/257, 2355881
Fax: 91 490 2355880,Email: mcctly@gmail.com, Web: www.mcc.kerala.gov.in
MCC/319/2025-P4-GAD
E - TENDER NOTICE
03/11/2025
Competitive e-Tenders/Tender/Re-Tenders (Two cover systems) are invited from established manufacturers/ authorized suppliers/agencies for the supply of the following items to MCC(PGIOSR) through e tender site www.etenders.kerala.gov.in and MCC(PGIOSR) website.

Sl. No	Item Details	Tender ID/Ref. No.
1	NCA LuCI2	2025_MCC_806877_2
2	Vein Viewer	2025_MCC_808192_2
3	Low Volume Microfluidic System	2025_MCC_808939_2
4	Electroporator	2025_MCC_809308_2
5	Probe Sonicator	2025_MCC_809315_2
6	Digital hotplate-stirrer with minimum 4 channel and magnetic stirrers	2025_MCC_809511_2
7	Water Purification System	2025_MCC_809998_2
8	Radiotherapy Accessories	2025_MCC_817987_1
9	Biobank Facility Upgradation	2025_MCC_810888_2

For details visit: www.mcc.kerala.gov.in or contact Purchase Division.
Sd/- Director

ICAR-CENTRAL INSTITUTE FOR COTTON RESEARCH
(Indian Council of Agricultural Research)
Regional Station, Coimbatore - 641 003
WALK-IN-INTERVIEW
F.No. CICR/RS/YP/25-26/Recruitment/
Date: 04.11.2025
The eligible candidates are invited to appear for Walk-in-Interview for the temporary (contractual) position of Young Professional - I.
Monthly Stipend: Rs.30,000/- Consolidated Pay/month
VENUE: ICAR-Central Institute for Cotton Research, Regional Station, Marudhamalai Road, Coimbatore - 641 003, Tamil Nadu.

S. No.	Name of the post, No. of post and Project	Educational Qualification	Written Exam / Date of interview
1	Young Professional-I (YP-I) - One No. **“ICAR-BT Cotton Testing Fee” Project**	**Essential Qualification:** B.Sc. Agriculture **Desirable Qualification:** M.Sc. Agri. Economics or M.Sc. Agricultural Statistics, Robust knowledge in econometric and statistical analysis	17.11.2025

(Reporting time 9.00 am - 9.30 a.m.)
Instructions:
1. All the above engagement is temporary / contractual & carries no other allowances.
2. The Walk-in-interview will be held as detailed above at this Institute.
3. **These temporary contractual appointments are till 31.03.2026 or even before on the discretion of the Competent Authority. The Young Professional will have no right to claim any employment or engagement in CICR/ICAR.**
4. The eligible candidates can attend the interview only when they fulfill the essential qualification.
5. Leave entitlement will be as per rules.
6. The candidates should bring with them the original certificates and photocopy of all the certificates for verification in support of Age, Qualifications, Experience, Caste, Employment Exchange Registration Card and one Passport size photograph to be enclosed with the application while appearing for Walk in Interview.
7. No TA / DA will be paid for attending the Walk-in-Interview.
8. The Director, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur reserves the right to fill up or not to fill any vacancy notified in this advertisement.
9. There will be one hour written test on the date of Walk in- Interview.
10. Candidates without Provisional B.Sc. degree certificates (essential qualification) from the concerned University will not be eligible for Walk in Interview.

YP - The minimum age will be 21 and maximum 45 years with relaxation as per rules as on the date of interview.
-SD-
Head
ICAR-CICR,
Regional Station, Coimbatore

KITTUR RANI CHANNAMMA RESIDENTIAL SAINIK SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, KITTUR - 591 115. KARNATAKA [INDIA]
[Member IPSC, Affiliated to Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi]
CBSE Affiliation No: 830488, School Code: 45438.
Ph No.08288-234608, Cell : 9483501100, 8123409432, E-mail : kittursainikschool@gmail.com
admseckrc@gmail.com, Website : www.kittursainikschool.org
“Preparing Responsible and Dedicated Citizens of Tomorrow since - 1969”
ALL INDIA ENTRANCE EXAMINATION
ADMISSION NOTIFICATION TO CLASS VI 2026-2027
Curriculum: 10+2 System of CBSE [Science Stream]
Aim : Kittur Rani Channamma Residential Sainik School for Girls is being run on the lines of Sainik / Military, Schools with the primary aim of empowering the Nation with enlightened, confident women of 21st century.
Applications are invited in the prescribed form for admission of **Girls** to Standard **VI** for the Academic Year 2026-2027. Admission is subject to qualifying in the All India Entrance Examination followed by Interview, Physical Fitness Test and Medical Examination conducted by the Institution.
Date of Exam: 1st February 2026 ■ Mode of Exam: OMR ■ Medium : Kannada or English

Exam Centers	Kittur, Vijayapur, Bengaluru & Kalaburgi (Karnataka)
Eligibility	Candidates born between June 1st 2014 & May 31st 2016 and having passed Standard 5th.
Exam Fees	Rs. 2000/- (Rs.1600/- for SC/ST Karnataka domicile only)
Fee Structure	Rs. 2,36,900 /- [Inclusive of Lodging, Boarding, Uniform,Kit and clothing items]
Reservation	a) 02 seats for Kittur Hobli b) 02 seats for Defence Personnel Dependant. c) 03 seats for National Bravery Award Winners quota.
Scholarship	Merit Scholarship as per Government of Karnataka Scholarship Scheme will be awarded only to the eligible girls of Karnataka domicile. Girls who are awarded merit scholarship will be required to pursue their education in this school up-to class XII (Science Stream) failing which, full scholarship amount received by the girl will be recovered at the time of issue of Transfer Certificate.

Sale of Prospectus cum Application Forms (by online payment)

Without penalty	**5th Nov to 10th Dec 2025.** Rs. 2,000/- (Rs. 1,600 /- SC/ST Karnataka domicile only) Last date of submitting dully filled **Application Form 15th Dec 2025.**
With penalty	**11th Dec to 25th Dec 2025** Rs. 2,500/- (Rs. 2,100 /- SC/ST Karnataka domicile only) Last date of submitting dully filled **Application Form 5th Jan 2026.**

Note :For Online payment visit our school website : www.kittursainikschool.org
You can also download Prospectus cum Application form through this website. (Ph: 08288-234607)
OLD APPLICATION FORMS WILL BE REJECTED.
ADMISSION ON FULL FEE PAYMENT SCHEME : The candidates who are low in the order of merit for admission to the School may be considered in case vacancies exist on Full Fee Payment (FFP) Scheme. Parents are requested to give their willingness in the application form for necessary consideration by the School. Conversion of Merit to FFP is NOT automatic; written request is mandatory.
SALIENT FEATURES: Coaching is organized for students appearing for JEE / NEET etc by experts in the field through **Educational Partnership with Hanchinmani Classes, Dharwad. NCC Training, NDA Training. Coaches for Horse Riding, Swimming, Music and other sports activities including Yoga and Karate available.**
NOTE : ■ The School reserves the right to change the pattern of examination, admission criteria and contents of the question papers. ■ The School is not responsible for non-receipt / delayed receipt of communications [Prospectus, Hall Tickets and Results etc]. ■ Hall Tickets will be sent by Ordinary Post only ■ Submission of Caste & Category, Kittur Hobli and Defence Certificates [attested photo copies] of the candidate, if applicable, shall be attached to the filled application form, failing which the candidate shall be considered under General Category. ■ Fees once paid / remitted will not be refunded under any circumstance. ■ False Income / Caste Certificate may lead to rejection of candidature ■ Latest Caste / Category and other certificate need to be submitted.
Office Hours: School office functions between 9-00 A.M. to 1-30 P.M. and 3-00 P.M. to 5-30 P.M. on all week days. Sundays / Holidays closed.
Sd/- Principal, KRCRSSG, Kittur
Sd/- Member Secretary, KRCMC, Kittur
Sd/- Chairman, KRCMC, Kittur

SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY
CONSTRUCTION ORGANISTION
Construction Organisation, South Western Railway invites applications from retired railway employees for
Contractual Re -Engagement.
Railway Board's letter No. E (NG) W2024/RC - 4/9 dated 15 .10.2024. The re-engagement scheme will remain valid upto 14.10.2026 or upto posts are filled by regular selections, whichever is earlier.
Categories of posts:

Engineering Department SSE (Works, P Way and Drawing & Design), JE (Works & Drawing & Design), Trackman staff.	**Ministerial Department** Private Secretary II, Chief Office Superintendent, Office Superintendent, Senior Clerk, Senior Stenographer
Signal and Telecommunication Department Traffic Inspector	**Electrical Department** Senior Section Engineer, Tech I & II

Who can apply
- Retired railway employees only
- At least 'Good' grading in the last 5 APARs
- Medically fit for the post
- Not retired under LARGESS
- Not removed/dismissed under DAR

How to Apply
Offline: Application available at website: www.swr.indianrailways.gov.in ➡ About us ➡ Construction Organisation ➡ Recruitment ➡ Retired Staff
Apply to:
Deputy Chief Personnel Officer,
Office of the Chief Administrative Officer,
Construction, Bengaluru Cantonment,
18, Millers Road, Bengaluru- 560 006
South Western Railway - SWR SWRRLY @SWRAILWAYHQ @sw_railways
PUB/612/AAD360/PRB/SWR/2025-26

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METROS, ANNA SALAI, NANDANAM, CHENNAI - 600 035.
GeM tender Id: GEM/2025/B/6789316
NOTICE INVITING TENDER
CMRL invites online bids for the tender **“The Overhauling services and Replacement of Defective parts of TBUs (Tread Brake unit) and DBUs (Disc Brake units) for 10 Train sets of CMRL”.** Tender documents can be downloaded from **https://gem.gov.in.**
For Managing Director
Chief General Manager (RS, S&T)
Chennai Metro Rail Limited
DIPR/5976/TENDER/2025

Forest Minister Eshwar Khandre on Tuesday said half of the vacant posts of range forest officers will be filled through promotions and the remaining through direct recruitment. Khandre said in the wake of increasing forest-related issues, filling up vacant posts at the earliest is essential

K'taka must review Honnavar Port, Sharavathi projects, says Medha

Activist says these will destroy entire estuaries, mangroves & Western Ghats ecosystem

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

SOCIAL activist Medha Patkar on Tuesday said the Sharavathi River faces a lot of threats from multiple quarters, and the issue has been brought to the notice of Chief Minister Siddaramaiah who assured to look into it.

The proposed Sharavathi pumped storage project will lead to the felling of over 16,000 trees, adversely affecting various wildlife species, including the lion-tailed macaque.

Patkar noted that the constant drilling will destroy the pristine Western Ghats. "Downstream, the proposed Honnavar Port project in Uttara Kannada district, where Sharavathi River meets the Arabian Sea, will destroy estuaries and mangroves, affect fishing and destroy the livelihood of the entire fishing community," she told reporters on the sidelines of the release of a second report -- Eroding Shores, Silenced Protests - A Fact-Finding Report on the Honnavar Port Project. "The two projects will destroy the entire ecosystem and everyone has seen what has happened in Uttarakhand, Himachal Pradesh and parts of Western Ghats when ecology is disturbed."

Activist Medha Patkar arrives for the release of a report on the Honnavar Port project in Bengaluru on Tuesday | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

"I had a brief interaction with Siddaramaiah and brought these issues to his notice. He has promised to look into it. He has also promised to direct the police to drop all cases that were filed against protesting fishermen and their families. Ironically, before the elections, Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying Minister Mankal Vaidya and Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar had visited Honnavar and assured the fishing community that their land will not be lost and the port will not come up. But they have done nothing. I know Siddaramaiah's background and I hope these projects will be reviewed," she said.

Patkar claimed that environmental clearances obtained for the port project were not done as per the prescribed rules. "They were obtained a decade back and now they have expired. False reports were submitted that there were no olive ridley turtles in Honnavar. This is because the survey was done in August, when the turtles do not visit the shores. Environmental clearance was obtained for the port after a three-month study and construction on a 50-km road connecting the port to NH-66 was started without any public hearing. All coastal zonal regulations and environmental impact rules have been violated," she said.

"I also brought all these issues to the notice of Chief Secretary Shalini Rajneesh and Chief Executive Officer of Karnataka Maritime Board HC Balachandra during a meeting on Tuesday. We expect a lot from the Karnataka government. While the state government withdrew its decision on creating the aerospace in Devenahalli after the farmers protest, the same should be considered in case of Honnavar Port, Sharavathi pumped storage project and the Malpe River Project. Development without destruction and forceful eviction of people can also be done," she said.

RULES REVISED ON USE OF SMOKING FINES

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE Karnataka health department has revised guidelines for the utilisation of fines collected under the Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Products Act (COTPA), 2003, implemented in the state through the National Tobacco Control Programme under the National Health Mission.

Authorised officers are permitted to impose fines on the spot for violations under Sections 21 and 24 of the Act. The collected amounts are deposited in the joint account of the District Collector and District Health and Family Welfare Officer, and have so far been used for transport expenses and IEC programmes related to tobacco control.

The updated guidelines specify that the fine amount will be used only for tobacco control programmes. Up to 70 per cent of the fine amount collected at the district level may be utilised for district-specific tobacco control activities, with the focus on tobacco addiction-free services.

District Tobacco Control units must prepare an annual action plan based on fines collected in the previous financial year. This plan will be discussed in the first quarter of the financial year during the meeting of the District Tobacco Control Coordination Committee and approved by the chairperson. Implementation of the approved plan will be reviewed at each DLCC meeting. Districts must also conduct an annual audit as per rules.

The revised guidelines allow the use of up to 70 per cent of the fine amount for activities such as purchasing approved Nicotine Replacement Therapy (NRT) medicines for Tobacco Free Centres, and procuring CO monitors (up to Rs 75,000) and peak flow meters (up to Rs 25,000) where required and not already available. The funds may also be used for additional district-level training and workshops related to tobacco control (up to Rs 15,000 per event), implementation of the School Health Programme for Tobacco Free Educational Institution (TOFEI) guidelines (up to Rs 10,000 per year), and awareness programmes (up to Rs 10,000 per year).

Districts may additionally utilise up to Rs 15,000 per year for IEC activities.

Lecturers not paid for evaluation of II PU papers

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE Karnataka Pre-University College Lecturers' Association has called for a statewide protest against the government for not releasing their honorarium amount of Rs 13.5 crore for PU-II exam paper evaluation for the year 2025-26.

Association President Ningegowda AH said, "The government has to pay exam paper evaluation money to 1,908 candidates. We have decided to submit a letter to Deputy Commissioners of all 31 districts on November 7, placing our demands. If they are not met, we will hold a one-day protest in Freedom Park, Bengaluru, within the next 20 days."

He added, "The education department did not consult college lecturers or principals before deciding to conduct three rounds of final exams for PU-II students. In June, the third round of exams is held for PU-II students and at the same time, a new batch is promoted from PU-I to PU-II. Holding classes and conducting exams is a burden."

Ningegowda raised concerns about lecturers having to conduct extra classes for the new batch. "None of the states or even other forms of syllabus, including CBSE and ICSE, conducts three rounds of exams. Earlier, lecturers used to get 45 holidays during summer and 15 days for Dasara. Now, there are no holidays as we need to conduct classes for students who fail in the first and second round of exams. This has also led to mental stress for lecturers," he added.

Here, govt school, GP office work from same space

RAGHOTTAM KOPPAR @Gadag

MAYBE this is the New Education Policy. In Kanaginahal, a village in Gadag district, nearly 82 students of the local government school from Cass 1 to Class 5 are getting everyday lessons in grassroots governance—while the students themselves are crammed together in two tiny rooms, the building houses the gram panchayat office. Several pleas have been made, but the authorities are yet to wake up to the plight of the students.

The school has only two good rooms. In one classroom students of Class 1, 2 and 3 sit together in true democratic spirit. In the other functional room, Class 4, 5 assemble to glean knowledge.

And villagers stream in to the panchayat office to fulfill their quotidian compulsions—getting a caste certificate, filling in another form, and several such needs.

The parents have appealed to authorities to shift the GP office and repair the dilapidated classrooms. The gram panchayat was shifted to the government school since it was earlier housed in a dilapidated building.

An official from the gram panchayat said: "We have brought this to the notice of our senior officials and are waiting for their response."

Kanaginahal which has a history of a strong cooperative movement now will have to come together to script a new lesson in collective action to secure the future of their children.

A class in progress at the building that also houses a GP office in Gadag district

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GREATER BENGALURU AUTHORITY
BANGALORE SOUTH CITY CORPORATION

Office of the Executive Engineer, Jayanagar Division,
Bangalore-560 036.

No.:EE/(J.D)/P.R/436/2025-26 **Date:04.11.2025**

SHORT TERM QUOTATION NOTIFICATION

The Executive Engineer, Jayanagar Division has invited short-term quotations for collection of parking fees in and around the premises of Jayanagar Shpping Complex. Interested bidders may submit their quotations as per the following price list up to 12.11.2025, 4.00 PM.

Sl. No.	Particulars	Rate (per month)
1.	Collection of Parking Fees at Jayanagar Shopping Complex.	

Terms & Conditions :
1) Interested bidders may submit their quotations as per the following price list up to **12.11.2025, 4.00 PM. 2)** Quotations received after the specified time will not be considered. **3)** This office reserves the right to accept/reject any quotation without assigning any reason. **4)** Further information may be obtained from the Executive Engineer, Jayanagar Division, Office No. 44, 18th Main Road, 39th Cross, Jayanagar 4th 'T' Block, Bangalore - 560 041. **5)** Date of opening of quotations: **12.11.2025 at 4.30 PM.** Further details can be obtained from the above office during office hours.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, Engineering Division,
Bangalore South City Corporation.

BANK OF INDIA

Bangaore Main Branch
No. 11, Kempegowda Road, Bengaluru-56 009.
Ph : 080-22959435 - 41,
Email : bangalore.bengaluru@bankofindia.co.in

बैंक ऑफ़ इंडिया Bank of India BOI

POSSESSION NOTICE (Rule 8(1)) (For Immovabe Property)

Whereas, The undersigned being the authorised officer of the **Bank of India** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated **26.06.2025** calling upon the **Borrower : M/s. R.G. Granite, represented by Partners : (1) Mr. Pradeep Goyal & (2) Mr. Raghav Goyal (Partners : M/s. R.G. Grantie)** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 63,67,097.54** (Rupees Sixty Seven Thousand Nine Hundred Ten and Paise Sixty only) within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under sub-section (4) of section 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement Rules, 2002 on this the **27th day of October of the year 2025.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Bank of India** for an amount **Rs. 63,67,097.54** and further interest thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of Machineries

Sl. No.	Descripiton	Supplier / Make
1.	1 A.V.B.C 2.5 mtrs	Sri Balaji Enterprises
2.	2 A.V.B.C 2.5 mtrs	Saint Engineering Company
3.	1 Grantry Crane - 60 tonnes	Sri Balaji Enterprises
4.	4 Heavy Duty hand Polishing Machine	Baba Plast
5.	1 Slurry Pump, 15 HP Pump with motor and 3" output GI Blend	Baba Plast
6.	Granite Cutting Blades Etc.	Sambhav Rocks India Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore (Karnataka)

Owned by M/s. R.G. Granite represented Partners Mr. Pradeep Goyal & Mr. Raghav Goyal

Date: 27.10.2025 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place: Bengaluru **Bank of India**

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that our Client intends to transact with converted immovable property bearing khata No. 3507573135 (old Khata No.47/886/825/654) measuring an extent of 10890 Sq Ft (10 Guntas) carved out of Sy.No.3 duly converted vide Official memorandum bearing No.ALN(A) SR:253:04-05 dated 08.11.2004 situated at Banahalli Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru District (morefully described in the Schedule Property hereinunder) owned by Smt. Swarna D/o Sri. Muniyellappa residing at Banahalli Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru District.

Any person or entities (including bank/societies/Financial Institutions) having any right/ title/ interest of any kind whatsoever including mortgage/charge/ claim/encumbrance/ demand over the Schedule Property whether by way of sale, transfer, assignment, exchange, charge, encumbrance, tenancy, sub-tenancy, lease, sub-lease, license, mortgage, inheritance, share, gift, devise, lien, maintenance, bequest, easement, trust, covenant, possession, development rights, or otherwise of any nature whatsoever, to or upon the Schedule Property having any demand, dues or claims, must lodge their claim/s with the undersigned, together with complete documentary evidence/proof thereof, within **15 days** from the date of publication of this notice, failing which, such rights, if any, would be considered as knowingly abandoned/waived & it will be presumed that no person(s) or entities other than the companies mentioned above or its successor(s)/assignee(s) has any right / title / claim and/or interest in/to the Schedule Property and that our client is free to transact with the Schedule Property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of converted immovable property bearing khata No. 3507573135 (old Khata No.47/886/825/654) measuring an extent of 10890 Sq Ft (10 Guntas) carved out of Sy.No.3 duly converted vide Official memorandum bearing No.ALN(A) SR:253:04-05 dated 08.11.2004 situated at Banahalli Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru District and bounded on the:

East by : Road,
West by : Land owned by MadaReddy,
North by : Land owned by Madduramma,
South by : Land owned by Gullappa.

JAGADEESHA. N
ADVOCATE
No.32, Prakrithi Shelters, Flat No.401, 4th Floor,
5th Main, Arehalli, Bengaluru-560 001,
Ph: 8073897219
Mail ID: jaga_2133@yahoo.co.in

Date: 29/10/2025
Place :Bangalore

Indian Overseas Bank

Residency Road Branch (0268)
No.133/2, Janardhan Tower
Residency Road, Bengaluru560025

(APPENDIX IV) POSSESSION NOTICE
(for immovable property) [(Rule 8(1)]

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **Indian Overseas Bank** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a **Demand Notice dated 29.07.2025** calling upon the borrowers/ mortgagors/ guarantors **Mr. Murali Mohan Y V,** Residing at No.595, Ground Floor, NTI Society Layout, Rajiv Gandhi Nagar, Near GKVK, Bangalore-560097 (hereinafter referred as borrower), to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.50,21,459.18 (Rupees Fifty Lakh Twenty One Thousand Four Hundred Fifty Nine and Eighteen Paise Only)** as on **29.07.2025** with further interest at contractual rates and rests, charges etc., till date of realization, within **60 days** from the date of receipt of the said notice.

(1) The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has **taken possession** of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/ her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on this **13/10/2025.**

(2) The borrowers in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Indian Overseas Bank** for an amount of **Rs.50,21,459.18 (Rupees Fifty Lakh Twenty One Thousand Four Hundred Fifty Nine and Eighteen Paise Only)** as on **29.07.2025** with interest thereon at contractual rates & rests as agreed, charges etc., from the aforesaid date mentioned in the demand notice till date of payment less repayments, if any, made after issuance of Demand Notice. The dues payable as on the date of **taking possession** is **Rs.51,50,739.18 (Rupees Fifty One Lakh Fifty Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty Nine and Eighteen Paise Only)** as on **12.10.2025** payable with further interest at contractual rates & rests, charges etc., till date of payment.

(3) The borrowers attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section(8) of the Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to them, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY - PRIME SECURITY:

Nature of Security: Equitable Mortgage followed by Registered memorandum of Residential house flat (Prime Security)

Schedule ' A' Property: All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing Flat No.F-403 on the Fourth Floor, in the apartment building known as "Shri Shanthi Nilaya" along with 230 sq.ft undivided share constructed in Site No.21 & 22, ID Khatha No.582/0/21 & Khatha No.582/0/22 after the amalgamation BBMP New Khatha No.641/1/582/0/31/33/21 Schedule A & B Property hereto with a super built up area of 1342 sq.ft along with undivided sharein the total land situating at Kodigenhalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk with all civic amenities hereto and the exclusive right to own one covered car parking space in the stilt area, vide Flat No.403 which is standing in the name of **Mr. Murali Mohan Y.V. Boundary of the Flat as follows: East by:** F-401, **West by:** Private property, **North by:** Private property, **South by:** Flat No.F-404.

The property inclusive of proportionate right to use in common area such as passage, Staircase, and other area of common use with concealed wiring together with specifications.

Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorized Officer**
Date: 04.11.2025 **For Indian Overseas Bank**

MYSORE PAINTS & VARNISH LTD.,

(A Govt., of Karnataka Undertaking)
New Bannimantap Extension, MYSURU-570 015,
Phone: 0821-2493831/ 2497469/ 2499340,
website: www.mysorepaints.karnataka.gov.in
email: materials-mpvl@karnataka.gov.in
Date: 04.11.2025

Short term Re Tender Notification

Tenders are invited from reputed manufacturers / authorized dealers for supply of the following materials through Karnataka Public Procurement Portal(KPPP) (https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in). The details are as mentioned below:

Sl.No.01 **Tender notification Number:**MPVL/2025-26/IND0015/Call-3 **Tender Description:** Short term Re Tender for Supply of Raw Materials required for production of 2K PU Paints & Synthetic Enamel Paints and Allied Products for the Year-2025-26. **Tender Category**: Supply of Goods. **Last Date & Time for submission of Tender/Bids:** 13/11/2025 **Date & Time Technical Bid Opening:** 15/11/2025

Interested parties may visit www.mysorepaints.karnataka.gov.in for details and can contact the undersigned for any further clarifications/ information and request to participate in the tender.

For Mysore Paints and Varnish Ltd.,
Sd/-
Materials Manager/(TIA)

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No:SEE/Tr(Op)Circle-N/AEE/AE-1&2/F-T6/25-26/1954 **Date:04-11-2025**

TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through Karnataka Public Procurement Portal only)

KPTCL invites Tenders for the following works.

1. Tender No:-KPTCL/2025-26/TL/Work_INDENT2937 for Increasing the vertical clearance of existing 220kV Nelamangala Peenya 3 and 4 DC line between location No.1151 and 1152, Tippenahalli village, Doddabidarakallu Bengaluru coming under jurisdiction of Peenya section.

2. Tender No:-KPTCL/2025-26/TL/Work_INDENT2939 for Providing intermediate tower to the existing 220kV D/C Nelamangala 1&2 Lines between the location Nos 835 & 836 near Bata Factory Peenya Industrial area for increasing vertical clearance, coming under jurisdiction of Peenya section.

3. Tender No:-KPTCL/2025-26/TL/Work_INDENT2943 for Providing intermediate 66kV NBT KPTCL design tower on 66kV D/c DG-1 & DG-2 lines between location No.19 & 20 and for Providing intermediate 66kV NBT KPTCL design tower on 66kV D/c DG-3 & DG-4 lines between location No.22 & 23 HTLS conductor in the premise of Govt High school, Mallasandra,T Dasarahalli for increasing vertical clearance, coming under jurisdiction of Peenya section.The Bids will be received through E-Procurement mode only.

The detailed notification regarding the subject tenders can be got by logging on to **https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** with hyperlink **'E Procurement KPTCL'** or to **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** on or after **06.11.2025.** Other details can be obtained from the office of the under signed.

Sd/- Superintending Engineer, (Elec.,)
Transmission(Operation) North-Circle, KPTCL,
U.A.S Campus, Hebbala, Bengaluru-560024.

MAHAGENCO
Maharashtra State Power Generation Co. Ltd.

TENDER NOTICE: CPA-28-2025

Digitally signed tenders under Two Bid System are invited for the following

Tender / RFx No: SP/T-0216/1125 (RFx No: 3000062991)

Description of tender: Procurement of Steel Cord Conveyor Belt of 1600mm width for pipe conveyor system for CHP-II, 500MW Khaperkheda TPS.

Due date & time of sale of Tender Bids: Up to 12.00 Hrs. of 12/11/2025

Contact Person: Office of Chief Engineer (CPA), Tel No.: 022 - 6985 3618

For further details visit our website ***https://eprocurement.mahagenco.in/***

Chief Engineer (CPA)

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No. CEE/Tr(Op)Z/HSN/SEE (O)/AEE-5/F-54/2024-25/9436-39 Date: 04.11.2025

TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through KPP Portal Only)

KPTCL invites bids through E-Procurement mode for the following work:

Tender No. KPTCL/2025-26/SS/WORK_INDENT2845 for Replacement of faulty/age-old trouble-some/deteriorated 66kV circuit breakers at 66/11 kV Udayapura, Arkalgudu and Ramanathapura MUSSes in Channarayapatna & Arkalgudu Taluk, Hassan District, Karnataka State on **Total Turnkey Basis.**

The detailed notification regarding subject enquiry in the E-Tendering process can be obtained by logging on to website: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** on hyper link "tenders" on or after **05.11.2025 @ 11:00 Hrs.** Other details can be obtained from Office of the undersigned.

Sd/- Chief Engineer (Ele.),
Transmission (Operations) Zone, KPTCL, 3rd Floor,
Prasarana Bhavana, Santhepete, B.M. Road, Hassan – 573 201

Department of Agricultural Marketing
Agricultural Produce Market Committee, Gadag
A.P.M.C.Yard, Gadag. Pin Code – 582101
e-mail: apmcgadag4@gmail.com Ph.: 08372-238354
No: AMD/APMC(G)/DEV/ 759 /2025-26 Date : 31-10-2025

E-Tender Notification (Call-II)

Gadag Agricultural Produce Market Committee has invited tenders for the Repair work of shops & -Godamu, allotted to Traders on a leave and license basis in the APMC Main Market Yard Gadag. Under "KW-3" on the https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in.portal. The estimated Amount of the Tender is Rs. **66,86,854/-** (Excluding GST). EMD Amount : Rs. **1,34,000/-**. Tender submission details are as follows : (1) Pre- Bid Meeting : **14-11-2025** @ 11:30 AM (2) Last date for submission of Tender : **19-11-2025** @ 05:00 PM (3) Technical bid opening Date : **21-11-2025** @ 11:00 AM (4) Financial bid opening Date (if possible) : **24-11-2025** @ 11:00 AM (5) Place of opening of tender : Main Office, Agricultural Produce Marketing Committee, Gadag

The Terms & conditions of the Tender can be obtained during office hours from the APMC office or through the Karnataka e-Procurement website https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in. The Committee reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason.

Tender No: APMC/2025-26/BD/WORK_INDENT555/CALL-2

Sd/- (Suvarna Walikar), **Sd/- (C. N. Sridhar),**
Secretary, APMC, Gadag **Administrative Officer, APMC, Gadag**
DIPR/Gadag/KSMCA/356/2025-26

Ex-Indian cricket captain Mohammad Azharuddin, who was recently inducted into the Telangana Cabinet, has been allocated two portfolios—Public Enterprises and Minority Welfare. Chief Secretary K Ramakrishna Rao issued a notification to this effect on Tuesday

COIMBATORE RAPE: COPS SHOOT 3 IN LEG, NAB THEM

Suspects attacked a constable with machete, accused admitted to hosp

Forensic officials inspect the spot where suspects were shot in Coimbatore on Tuesday; Coimbatore Police commissioner A Saravana Sundar (Inset)

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Coimbatore

THREE men involved in the sexual assault of a 20-year-old college girl in Coimbatore were shot in the legs and captured by the city police late Monday night when they allegedly attacked a policeman during the search operation and attempted to escape from the place.

The suspects are Sathish alias Karuppasamy (30), his brother Karthik alias Kaleeswaran (21) of Sivagangai district and their friend Guna alias Thavasi (20) of Karuppayurani in Madurai district. The police opened fire on Monday around 11 pm when they attempted to corner the suspects at Vellakinaru in Coimbatore. The suspects allegedly attacked with a machete on Chandrasekar (47), a constable, on the wrist. In retaliation, police opened fire on their legs.

Karuppasamy and Kaleeswaran were shot in both legs, and Thavasi sustained a gunshot wound in one leg. They admitted to Coimbatore Medical College Hospital. The constable was also admitted.

"The suspects are the habitual offenders. They have murder cases, robbery cases, theft cases, and assault cases in the four police station. They came out on bail a month ago, in a theft case at Sathyamangalam police limit," Police Commissioner A Saravana Sundar said.

"The girl's ring and a mobile phone were recovered from the suspect," he said. He said that the condition of the survivors is stable and counselling will be provided to the girl.

It should be noted that the suspects came to the place where they noticed the girl, who is a PG student in a private college and her boyfriend were sitting in a car at Brindhavan Nagar behind the Coimbatore International Airport. The suspects threatened the two people in the car to get out.

> **The suspects are habitual offenders. They have murder, robbery, theft, and assault cases in four police stations. They came out on bail a month ago** —A Saravana Sundar, Police Commissioner

Man tries to burn minor's house after failed rape bid

Rourkela: In a shocking incident, a criminal on Monday night attempted to set the house of a minor girl afire after his failed rape bid was reported to the police in Talsara under Sundargarh district. The incident took place at a remote village under Balishankara block borde-ring Simdega district of Jharkhand. Accused Mukesh Singh sneaked into the ho- use of the girl around 11 pm on Sunday. When she screamed, her parents woke up and, he fled the place.

14-yr-old girl raped by cousin in Odisha

Angul: A 26-year-old man was arrested under POCSO act for raping a 14-year-old girl on Sunday at Chhend-ipada village in Odisha. The survivor is his cousin. According to IIC Bibhudatta Chotray, on Sunday morning, the accused called the girl to his house to do some household work when no one was at home. Upon reaching his house, the accused raped her. After she told her parents, they filed a complaint against the accused on Monday.

Enumeration for SIR begins across TN

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Chennai

EC officials carry out door-to-door verification as part of SIR 2026 process in Chennai, on Tuesday | ASHWIN PRASATH

EVEN as the petition filed by DMK organisation secretary RS Bharathi is expected to be taken up for hearing on November 6 or 7, the enumeration for the Special Intensive Revision (SIR) of electoral rolls began across the state on Tuesday. The SIR is taking place in Tamil Nadu after a gap of two decades.

As part of this exercise, the house-to-house enumeration started on Tuesday, and this will go on till December 4. Booth-level officers (BLOs) will visit every household to distribute partially pre-filled enumeration forms in duplicate to all existing voters and guide them in filling the form. If BLO finds that any house is locked or closed, she/he will make at least three visits.

Voters may also download their enumeration forms and submit the filled-in forms online. The dates of the visits of the BLOs will be shared in advance and widely publicised in the locality by the Electoral Registration Officers.

Meanwhile, CPI state secretary M Veerapandiyan, in a statement, alleged that the SIR has failed at the very outset since when the BLOs began distributing enumeration forms door-to-door, at 10 am, they found most houses locked or the eligible voters absent.

"This is because, in industrial cities such as Tiruppur, Vellore, Coimbatore, Erode, Chennai and its suburban districts, Tiruchy and Madurai, workers and business owners usually leave for their workplace by 8 am," he added.

Veerpandiyan said between 2005 and 2024, names have been added to the electoral rolls during many summary revisions. Meanwhile, Chief Electoral Officer Archana Patnaik, in a release said the District Election Officers are overseeing and inspecting the overall implementation of the SIR in their respective districts

SIR begins in Kerala; BJP only party in support

T'puram: The Election Commission on Tuesday began the SIR of voters' list in Kerala, even as most political parties-- barring the BJP --have raised concerns over its timing. Booth Level Officers (BLOs) have started visiting households to distribute and collect enumeration forms. The EC has announced implementing Special Intensive Revision in 12 states and union territories, including the poll-bound Kerala, Tamil Nadu, West Bengal and Puducherry. "Our idea is to distribute and collect the filled-up forms on the same day to minimise visits and save time," Thiruvananthapuram District Collector Anu Kumari said. BLOs will make up to three visits if residents are unavailable initially. "We will also seek help from residents' associations or contact voters in advance over the phone," she added. **ENS**

Muslim women can't be mute spectator to husband's 2nd marriage: Kerala HC

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Kochi

KERALA High Court has held that a Muslim first wife cannot be a silent spectator to the registration of the second marriage of her husband, even though Muslim Personal Law allows a second marriage to a man in certain situations.

Justice PV Kunhikrishnan said that if a Muslim man wants to register his second marriage in accordance with the Kerala Registration of Marriages (Common) Rules 2008, when his first marriage is in existence and the first wife is alive, an opportunity of hearing should be given to the first wife. The court said in such situations, religion is secondary and constitutional rights are supreme.

The court observed that 99.99% of Muslim women will be against their husband's second marriage when their relationship with him is in existence. The court issued the order on the petition filed by Muhammad Shareef of Kannur and his second wife challenging the decision of the secretary, Thrikkaripur grama panchayat, not to register the marriage between them.

Petitioners said they are Indian and are followers of Muslim Customary Law. As per Muslim Personal Law, a Muslim male is entitled to have four wives at a time. Therefore, the registrar is bound to register the second marriage. The second marriage had the consent of the first wife, they said. The court rejected the plea to register the second marriage as the man's first wife was not a party in the proceedings.

The single judge said, "I don't think that the Holy Qur'an or Muslim law permits an extramarital relationship with another lady when his first wife is alive and his first marriage with her is in existence, and that also, without the knowledge of his first wife." However, the Holy Qur'an does not prohibit the option of obtaining consent from the first wife, or at least informing her before he marries again. Equality in gender is a constitutional right of every citizen, said the court.

Heavy rain hits normal life in Warangal

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Hanamkonda/ Warangal

HEAVY rain lashed several parts of Hanamkonda and Warangal on Tuesday morning, disrupting normal life and triggering fears among residents of low-lying areas about possible flooding. Farmers were also distressed as the downpour drenched cotton stocks at the Enumamula Agricultural Market.

The sudden 45-minute spell brought traffic to a halt and flooded streets, with water rising to knee level in several colonies. Panic spread among residents of Vivekananda Colony, Sai Ganesh Colony, SR Nagar and NTR Nagar in Warangal, and Ambedkar Nagar, Gopalpur, Vivek Nagar, Pragathi Nagar, Sammaiah Nagar and Amravathi Nagar in Hanamkonda. Parents were anxious as the rain began soon after their children had left for school. By afternoon, the skies cleared and water began receding, bringing relief to residents of the historic city.

At the Enumamula Agricultural Market, around 12,000 bags of cotton arrived on Tuesday, with authorities displaying a price of Rs 6,950 per quintal. However, farmers expressed frustration that neither the Cotton Corporation of India (CCI) nor private traders came forward to purchase the crop. They said the rain had worsened an already difficult situation as they were waiting for days to sell their produce.

N Ravi Kumar, a farmer from Geesugonda mandal, said, "Before the rain, the moisture content in cotton was around 18%, which delayed purchases. Now it has gone up to 23%, and the CCI is refusing to buy."

The sudden downpour continued for around 45 minutes on Tuesday | EXPRESS

Tipper driver's negligence key factor in bus tragedy: DGP

ENS @ Hyderabad

TELANGANA Director General of Police (DGP) Shivdhar Reddy on Tuesday said that driver negligence has emerged as a key factor in the tragic bus accident near Mirzaguda in Chevella mandal, as the investigation progresses swiftly.

The DGP, who inspected the accident site and met the injured, told reporters that preliminary findings indicate the mishap occurred when a speeding gravel-laden tipper truck collided head-on with a Telangana RTC bus. "The tipper dragged the bus for nearly 40 metres, intensifying the impact and causing heavy casualties," he said, adding that most passengers seated on the right side of the bus lost their lives.

Explaining the site conditions, he noted that although the stretch has a curve, it is not sharp enough to cause such a severe accident — reinforcing that rash driving and negligence played a major role. Experts are examining the tipper's mechanical condition to rule out any technical failure. The vehicle's owner, Lakshman Naik, who was also injured, is undergoing treatment.

Calling for greater road discipline, the DGP said road accidents should not be viewed merely as enforcement issues but as a shared social responsibility.

2 more road mishaps rock Telangana

Hyderabad: A day after the tragic Chevella bus accident in Rangareddy district, Telangana witnessed two more road mishaps on Tuesday — one in Karimnagar and another in Vikarabad. In the first incident, an RTC bus collided with a tractor near Renikunta village in Karimnagar, injuring 15 people. In the second, a Karnataka RTC bus rammed into a lorry near Karankot in Vikarabad, leaving the driver seriously hurt while passengers escaped unscathed. **ENS**

Resorts polluting rivers, fuelling man-animal clashes, say experts

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THIRTEEN others are still under construction.

The issue is in focus now after tiger attacks occurred in HD Kote and Sargur taluks and Kabini belt in recent weeks. Farmers, advocates and environmentalist under the banner of Save Kabini on Tuesday released a detailed list of these illegal establishments, seeking immediate action by the government.

In fact, Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, Forest Minister Eshwar Khandre and HD Kote MLA Anil Chikkamadu had said all unauthorised structures in the forest buffer and backwater zones would be removed if such a list is released.

Honnuru Prakash, a farmer leader, asked that when farmers are booked and arrested for illegally drawing electric lines to protect their farmland from wildlife, why such action is not taken against these resorts that are making money violating norms. "These resorts contaminate rivers and cause noise pollution inside the core area and eco-sensitive zones, leading to increased man-animal conflicts," he said.

Some of these properties are branches of major five star and luxury resorts that are operated in different parts of the country, while some others are either owned or backed by politicians. Three sitting ministers are associated with these resorts, while some are owned by owned by KAS officers and also a police inspector, the Save Kabini members alleged.

Advocate V Ravi Kumar, heading the campaign, said he has brought the issue to the notice of forest and other officials and regional commissioners. "A builder from a neighbouring state too owns a resort. Alcohol is being served without excise licences and some resorts are accused of running illegal boat rides and forest safaris using private vehicles in prohibited zones," he alleged.

He said these illegal establishments are not only endangering the fragile forest ecosystem, but also contributing to the increasing frequency of wild animal attacks on nearby villages. "Due to such encroachments and human activities, tigers, elephants and leopards are driven out of their habitats," he said. Citing negligence and complicity by certain officials, Save Kabini members demanded immediate suspension of officers from the forest, irrigation, panchayat raj and revenue departments who failed to prevent these encroachments.

"The chief minister and forest ministers have said they will act against violations. We have now released the list like they asked. We urge the government to ensure transparency and fairness in the demolition of these resorts," he said.

CM inaugurates 4th Karnataka Mini Games

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

CHIEF Minister Siddaramaiah inaugurated the 4th Mini Karnataka Games, a week-long tournament for under-14 athletes of the state, at Sree Kanteerava Indoor Stadium on Sunday. "Our government is continuously supporting sports. Our encouragement is always ready to match your enthusiasm," he said at the inauguration.

Underlining this commitment, Siddaramaiah reiterated that the state government has decided that 3% of the posts in the police department and 2% of the posts in other departments will be reserved for medallists in international tournaments. He added that the state government would award Rs 7 lakh to gold, Rs 5 lakh to silver, and Rs 2 lakh to bronze medallists who bring laurels to the state at the national level.

Organised by the Karnataka Olympic Association (KOA), the Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports (DYES) and the Sports Authority of Karnataka (SAK), the tournament shall bring together young athletes to compete in 27 different sport disciplines, held at multiple venues in the city. "It will prepare the young sportspersons for all major international tournaments, including the Olympics and the Commonwealth Games. To be a good citizen, you must be a good sportsperson," asserted MLC and President of KOA Dr K Govindaraj.

Participants of the tournament marched past the CM, MLA Rizwan Arshad and Transport Minister Ramalinga Reddy, who were also present at the inauguration. "When we win, we should win with humility; when we lose, it must be with grace," asserted Arshad.

MLC and KOA president K Govindaraj inaugurates new kayaking and canoeing equipment at Ulsoor Lake on Tuesday | EXPRESS

KOA procures new kayaks and canoes

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

AMIDST the ongoing 4th Mini Karnataka Games, the Karnataka Olympic Association (KOA) on Tuesday procured a fleet of sit-in kayak singles, kayak doubles and kayak slalom boats, and appointed the Kayaking and Canoeing Association of Karnataka as their custodian.

"The initiative aims to encourage greater participation in water sports and strengthen the competitive edge of athletes from the state," a KOA statement stated.

Meanwhile, MLC and KOA President K Govindaraj flagged off the kayaking and canoeing events of the tournament at Ulsoor Lake on Tuesday and formally inaugurated the newly acquired equipment. The flag-off also marked the launch of essential safety gear, including life jackets.

"Access to world-class gear is fundamental to nurturing talent and building confidence among emerging athletes. With this investment, we hope to inspire more youth to take up kayaking and canoeing, and to see Karnataka represented strongly at national and international levels," said Govindaraj.

Virtual lab for competitive exams opened at Widia college

Bengaluru: In this competitive era, computer-based education is necessary, said Udupi Shree Admar Mutt Education Council honorary secretary Dr A P Bhat. He was speaking after inaugurating a virtual lab that helps students preparing for competitive examinations, at the Widia Poornaprajna Pre-University College in Nagasandra. "In today's competitive era, computer-based education is essential for students. Practical education in science and commerce subjects is beneficial for building a better future," said Bhat. The virtual lab will help students appearing for exams like CET, NEET and IBPS exams and aid them in their preparation. "The lab will be useful for the students to progress intellectually and technically," he said. College secretary Gopalasabaraya, principal M S Umesh Kumar, academic director Praveen Kumar and others were present. **ENS**

EXPRESS READ

Dhoni's suit: Court junks ex-IPS officer's appeal

Chennai: A division bench of Madras High Court on Tuesday dismissed a petition filed by retired IPS officer G Sampath Kumar against an order of a single judge appointing an advocate commissioner for recording the evidence of former skipper MS Dhoni in connection with the trial in the ₹100-crore defamation suit filed by the cricketer. Dhoni filed the suit in 2014 against Zee Media, its then head Sudhir Chaudhary, News Nation and the officer for linking him with the IPL match fixing scam. Stating that elaborate security arrangements have to be made if the cricketer has to appear physically in the court, the bench of justices SM Subramaniam and Mohammed Shaffiq said the presence of Dhoni may create disturbance to the conduct of proceedings of the court. **ENS**

RAIL COACH FACTORY KAPURTHALA

On-line bids are invited by PCMM/RCF on behalf of President of India for the following item(s):-

Sr.No.	Tender No. & Due Date	Brief Description	Qty.(Nos/Sets)	EMD(₹)
1.	02255009/24.11.2025	Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning (SITC) of Enhanced Pantry Equipments for Retro Fitment in LHB AC Hot Buffet Coach at RCF	–	324380/-
2.	02251527/28.11.2025	Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning (SITC) of Switch Board Cabinet and 50 KVA under Slung.	–	96920/-
3.	13235109G/28.11.2025	EOT Crane Cap.10 Ton	03 Nos.	946000/-
4.	05251396A/28.11.2025	Nose Cone for MEMU DMC 3-Phase Coaches.	57 Sets	738510/-
5.	17251418A/27.11.2025	Supply and Fitment of Complete Furnishing of Inspection Carriage on Turnkey Basis.	28 Nos.	2000000/-
6.	02251453A/18.11.2025	Supply, Testing and Commissioning (Including All Connections and and Dressing W/o Loading) of Set of Panel for Amrit Bharat Non-AC Coaches.	–	2000000/-
7.	02251480.01.12.2025	Switch Board Cabinet for Bangladesh AC Coaches.	–	84960/-
8.	02251528/01.12.2025	Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning (SITC) of 50 KVA Under Slung DA Set with on Board Control Panel along with Other Accessories.	–	506310/-
9.	17251162D/05.12.2025	(1) Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of Automatic Smoke/Fire Detection with Alarm System on Retro Fitment basis in existing 3 Phase **EMU** Rakes over Indian Railways. (2) Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of Automatic Smoke/Fire Detection with Alarm System on Retro Fitment basis in existing 3 Phase **MEMU** Rakes over Indian Railways. (3) Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of Automatic Smoke/Fire Detection with Alarm System on Retro Fitment basis in existing 3 Phase **MEMU** Rakes over Indian Railways. (4) Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of Automatic Smoke/Fire Detection with Alarm System on Retro Fitment basis in existing 3 Phase **EMU** Rakes over Indian Railways.	(1) 73 Set (2) 73 Set (3) 18 Set (4) 06 Set	2000000/-
10.	01251205A/01.12.2025	Traction Center	1634 Nos.	163120/-

1. For details and making On-line bids, visit Website **http://ireps.gov.in** Drawings/specifications, wherever required can be downloaded from RCF Website **http://www.rcf.indianrailways.gov.in. Class IIIb digital signature certificate required for on-line bidding, can be obtained from licensed certifying agencies listed at website http://www.cce.gov.in**. **2.** All Limited tenders and Advertised tenders will normally close at 11:25 Hrs and 14:25 Hrs respectively on the stipulated date and will be opened at 11.30 Hrs and 14.30 Hrs. **3.** Tenders at **Sr. No. 1 to 9** will be opened at RCF, Kapurthala and Tender at **Sr. No. 10** will be opened at Tilak Bridge, New Delhi-110002. **4.** For queries contact IREPS Helpdesk at 011-24102855, 011-24105180 or RCF Helpdesk at 011-23378658. **NOTE:** "GST No. of RCF is 03AAAGM0289C1ZT. All the suppliers are advised to quote this in dispatch documents for the supplies made by them".

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CORRIGENDUM :**Tender No. (1) 12251224** for Procurement of Iot Based Water Level Indicator System for Underslung & Overhead Water Tank **Due date may be read as 21.112025** Instead of 30.10.2025 **Tender No. (2) 17241346A** for procurement of Supply & Installation of One Rake Set of Layout of IC Door for Trainset Coaches **Due date may be read as 25.11.2025** Instead of 03.11.2025 **Tender No. (3) 17251612** for Verification of Local Content: Document uploading (SN/12) and Declaration by Firm: Document uploading (SN/7) **May be read allowed (Mandatory)** instead of allowed (Optional) and **Due date may be read as 06.11. 2025** Instead of 30.10.2025. **Tender No. (4) 17241537A** for Procurement of Design, Supply, Installation, Commissioning and Maintenance of Aspiration Type Automatic Smoke/fire Detection System in Rake Form for Non AC Amrit Bharat Trains As Per RDSO Specification RDSO/2008/CG-04 REV-06 With ICF Annexure 'A' Dated 16.07.2024 **Due date may be read as 17.11.2025** Instead of 30.10.2025 **Tender No. (5) 17251398** For Procurement of Supply, Installation, Commissioning, Testing & Camp of Automatic Fire/smoke Detection System For MEMU/EMU/DEMU RAKE) **Due date may be read as 17.11.2025** Instead of 30.10.2025 **Tender No. (6) 17251268** for procurement of Automatic Fire/smoke Detection System for LHB Non AC Coaches Including CAMC for 6 Years **Due date may be read as 17.11.2025** Instead of 30.10.2025 **Tender No. (7) 17251269** For Procurement Of Fire Detection Cum Suppression System (FDSS) in Toilet of Coaches **Due date may be read as 17.11.2025** Instead of 30.10.2025 **Tender No. (8) 17251405** for procurement of Set of Seats & Berths for L.H.B & Amrit Bharat Coaches **Due date may be read as 07.11.2025** Instead of 31.10.2025. Verification of Local Content : Document uploading (SN/6), past performance/in-house key infrastructure documents (SN/11) and (SN/12) and percentage of Local Content (SN/2) **may be read as Allowed (Mandatory)** instead of Allowed (Optional) and Declaration by Firm: Document uploading (SN/2) **may be read as Allowed (Mandatory)** instead of Not Allowed. **Tender No. (9)17251618** for Procurement of Supply And Installation of Set of Seat And Berth For L.H.B SCN, Hot Buffet, SLR & GS Amrit Bharat Coaches **Due date may be read as 10.11.2025** Instead of 3.11.2025. Verification of Local Content : Document uploading (SN/6), past performance/in-house key infrastructure documents (SN/9 & SN/10) and percentage of Local Content (SN/2) **may be read as Allowed (Mandatory)** instead of Allowed (Optional) and Declaration by Firm: Document uploading (SN/2) **may be read as Allowed (Mandatory)** instead of Not Allowed. **Tender No. (10) 12251340** for Set of Honeycomb Partition Frame For L.H.B SCN Coach With AC 3T Berth Suspension **Due date may be read as 25.11.2025** Instead of 29.102025 **Tender No. (11) 05251579A** for Procurement of Set of Side Wall & Roof Assly. For L.H.B **Due date may be read as 17.11.2025** Instead on 30.10.2025.**Tender No. (12) 17251484** for Procurement of one Rake Set of AC Duct Assembly For Vande Bharat Coaches **Due Date may be read as 07.11.2025** Instead of 31.10.2025 **Tender No. (13) 12251320** for Set of Honeycomb Partition Frame For L.H.B First AC Coach **Due date may be read as 28.11.2025** Instead of 31.10.2025 **Tender No. (14) 05251732** for Procurement of Set of Roof For TC for Vande Bharat Coaches **Due Date may be read as 17.11.2025** Instead of 02.11.2025 **Tender No. (15) 15255167** for Supply Installation, Testing, Commissioning and maintaining of IP based of CCTV Camera in RCF, Kapurthala **Due date may be read as 11.11.2025 Instead** of 31.10.2025 **Tender No. (16) 17251502** for procurement of Supply, Installation & Commissioning of one Rake set of Single Leaf Automatic Sliding main Entrance Plug Door along with required controls for Vande Bharat, **Due date may be read as 15.12.2025 Instead** of 06.11.2025 and **Clause No. 7 regarding e- RA may be read as DELETED. Tender No. (17) 05251897** for set of partition frames **Due date may be read as 11.11.2025 Instead** of 03.11.2025. **Tender No. (18) 05251372** for procurement of Kit of shell Item for 3-Phase MEMU **Due date may be read as 17.11.2025 Instead** of 04.11.2025.

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R.O No. 98-S/2025-26 Dated : 04.11.2025

The Grain Merchants' Co-Op.Bank Ltd.,

Estd:1927

HO.# 2, Pampamahakavi Road, Chamarajpet,
Bangalore -18 Ph: 26677552, 7411414285,

TENDER NOTIFICATION

We are looking to have the services of Security Guards and Gun man for our Bank H O & two Branches. Interested Security Agencies, who are in the business and holding the necessary license from the appropriate authorities, providing statutory requirements such as PF & ESI as per labour act, are requested to send their quotations to the Bank's H O, furnishing details like list of their present constituents, No. of staff in their roles, Rates charged per duty of 8/12 hours etc., on or before 19.11.2025.

Bank reserves the right to accept or reject the offers without giving any reason, and their choice remains final.

Date: 05.11.2025

Sd/-
Incharge Secretary

EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, MINOR IRRIGATION & GROUND WATER DEVELOPMENT, DIVISION, DHARWAD.

SECTION 1: INVITATION FOR TENDERS (IFT) (Two Cover System), KW-1,2,3&4
Reg: This office tender Notification No. 10/2025-26 Dated:31/10/2025

The Executive Engineer, Minor Irrigation and Ground Water Development Division, Dharwad, invites tenders for **Dharwad, Gadag, Hangal and Ranebennur** Sub Division, comes under this undersigned office in Standard Bid Document KW-1,2,3,4 through e-procurement portal of the Government of Karnataka, viz., **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** from eligible contractors for the work under various Head of Account on Item Rate basis. Maximum Estimate Amount: **Rs.975.00 Lakhs,** Maximum E.M.D amount **Rs.14.62 Lakhs** and Minimum Estimate Amount: **Rs.3.00 Lakhs,** Minimum E.M.D amount **Rs.3900;** Period of downloading tender documents from e-procurement portal is from **31/10/2025** upto 30Days step by step. And any other Corrigendum/Addendum and Postponement of Notification, Changes in the dates, if any will be published only through **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in.** Other details may be obtained from the office of the undersigned during office hours on all working days. Details published on the e-procurement website @ **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** are final.

Sd/- EXECUTIVE ENGINEER
M.I & G.W.D. DIVISION, DHARWAD

Bank of Baroda

बैंक ऑफ़ बड़ौदा
Bank of Baroda
Indiranagar Main Branch
No.325, C M H Road, Indiranagar, Bengaluru-560038

POSSESSION NOTICE 13(4) (For Immovable Property) APPENDIX- IV under Rule 8(1)

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of Bank of Baroda, **Indiranagar Main Branch, Bengaluru,** under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **02.09.2025** calling upon the **Borrowers/ Co-Borrowers/ Mortgagors/ Guarantors, 1) M/s. Infant Construction,** No.272, Infant Jesus House, 4th Cross, Nagavarapalya, C. V. Ramanagar, Bengaluru-560038, Represented by its proprietor, Mr. A. Lawrence, **2) Mr. A. Lawrence,** S/o Mr. T. Antony Das, No.272, Infant Jesus House, 4th Cross, Nagavarapalya, C. V. Ramanagar, Bengaluru-560038, and **Guarantor 3) Mr.Vincent Raj,** S/o Mr. Lawrence. A, No.272, Infant Jesus House, 4th Cross, Nagavarapalya, C. V. Ramanagar, Bengaluru-560038, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.45,44,855.83 Paisa (Rupees Forty Five Lakhs Forty Four Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Five and Paisa Eighty Three Only)** as on **02.09.2025** inclusive of interest upto **02.09.2025** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice, together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act, read with Rules 8 & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this **03rd November 2025.**

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Bank of Baroda** for an amount **Rs.45,44,855.83 Paisa (Rupees Forty Five Lakhs Forty Four Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Five and Paisa Eighty Three Only)** as on **02.09.2025** inclusive of interest upto **02.09.2025** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

"We further invite your attention to sub section (8) of section 13 of the said Act in terms of which you may redeem the secured assets, if the amount of dues together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred by the Bank is tendered by you, at any time before the date of publication of notice for public auction/inviting quotations/tender /private treaty. Please note that after publication of the notice as above, your right to redeem the secured assets will not be available."

Schedule Property: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing No.16, House List Khatha No.23/1, Situated at Benniganahalli, Nagavarapalya, K. R. Puram Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, measuring East to West 30 Feet and North to South 40 Feet and totally measuring 1,200 Square Feet, alongwith the building standing thereon and bounded on: East by: Channel/Railway Track, West by: Site No.15, North by: Road, South by: Site No.5.

Date : 03.11.2025 Sd/- Authorised Officer
Place : Bengaluru Bank of Baroda

THE SPECIAL OFFICER AND COMPETENT AUTHORITY, (UNDER KPIDFE - IMA & OTHER SCAM)

3rd Floor, Podium Block, V.V Tower, Dr. Ambedkar Veedhi, Bengaluru-560001

NOTICE/INVITATION FOR E-AUCTION FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

Pursuant to attachment of Immovable properties by the Government under the provisions of the Karnataka Protection of Interest of Depositors in Financial Establishments Act, 2004 (KPIDFE Act) and pursuant to the absolute attachment order by the Hon'ble Special Court, the Special Officer & Competent Authority is issuing notice for e-auction of the immovable property through e-auction on 'as is where is and whatever there is basis'.

The intending bidders will be required to furnish Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) (as mentioned against each auction in the e-portal provided by the Service Provider/Karnataka Public Procurement Portal only).

Short description of the Immovable Property (SPLOCA/AUC(2)/CR/05/2025-26)

Properties are free of all encumbrances and are in the name of Competent Authority appointed by Government and confirmed by the Special Court under KPIDFE Act, 2004. and Hon'ble High Court Of Karnataka has cleared the title (Khata stands in the name of Competent Authority and Auctioning Authority)

Sl. No.	DETAILS OF THE SCHEDULE PROPERTY (Clear Title by Court in order No. MISC No. 691/2019)	Minimum Bid Price (Rs)	EMD (Rs)	Bid Increase Value (Rs)
1.	# 803/18/25, PID No. 58-36-25, 36th 'G' Cross, 4th 'T' Block, Jayanagara Extension, Ward No. 168 (580 Jayanagar), Bangalore. East to West 40 ft North to South 50 ft Total measuring 2000 Sq.ft Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/31xgrCq2KvgTijN66 Latitude and Longitude: 12°55'22.0"N 77°35'27.6"E			
(a)	Ground Floor, Flat No.GF-01, UDS-666.66, SBA-1570 Sq.ft	1,80,50,000/-	18,05,000/-	1,81,000/-
(b)	1st Floor, Flat No. FF-102, UDS-666.66, SBA-1570 Sq.ft	1,82,40,000/-	18,24,000/-	1,83,000/-
(c)	2nd Floor, Flat No. SF-103, UDS-666.66, SBA-1570 Sq.ft	1,84,30,000/-	18,43,000/-	1,85,000/-

Date of Pre-bid meeting & time and Place	Date of Inspection & time	Last Date of Submission of Bids & EMD submission	Date & Time of E Auction
19th November 2025, 3 pm to 4 pm Place: O/o SPLOCA, 3rd Floor, Podium Block, Visveswariah Tower, Bengaluru-01	**24th November 2025 11:00am to 05:00pm**	**27th November 2025 Before 5pm**	**28th November 2025 11 am to 1 pm**

For Registration & Online Auction, you can login to: https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in (Helpdesk No: 080-46010000, 080-68948777) The interested bidders who require auction related information can contact Assistant Commissioner, Office of the Special Officer & Competent Authority, 3rd Floor, Podium Block, Visveswariah Towers, Dr.Ambedkar Veedi, Bengaluru-560001, e-mail ID: splocaeauction@gmail.com or Contact Mob. No 6364403715.

Date: 29-10-2025
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/-
Special Officer & Competent Authority
DIPR/CP/3570/Zen/2025-26 **(Under KPIDFE –IMA & Other Scam) Bengaluru.**

Pune Housing and Area Development Board

(A Regional Unit of MHADA)

म्हाडा MHADA

Grihanirman Bhavan, Agarkarnagar, Pune-411001.Tel. 26126381, Fax: 26123614

E-Tender Notice No.PB/EE II/Nere//2025-26
Main Portal:http://mahatenders.gov.in

On behalf of Chief Engineer II/MHADA, Executive Engineer-II, PH & ADB through the process of e-bidding invites digitally signed & unconditional online open e-BIDs from prospective bidders for the work mentioned below. The detail tender is available on above website from **04/11/2025@3.00pm.**

Name of Work & Location	Estimated Cost
Planning, Designing & Construction for Development of 5,301 nos. 1-BHK Dwelling Units each having RERA Carpet area of minimum 33.41 Sq. Meter for EWS category beneficiaries, including construction of all required on-site and off-site Infrastructure works on 18.20 Acres of Land owned by MHADA at NERE, Pune, under PMAY 2.0 - Affordable Housing in Partnership (AHP)	₹ 10,34,22,51,000/-

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information regarding E-Tender at **http://mahatenders.gov.in**

SD/-
Executive Engineer-II,
Pune Board, Pune.

CPRO/A/893

BANK OF MAHARASHTRA

बैंक ऑफ महाराष्ट्र Bank of Maharashtra
एक परिवार एक बैंक

Zonal Office, Bengaluru
No. 465/A, 22nd Cross, 3rd Block,
Opp: NMKRV College for Women, Jayanagar, Bengaluru - 560011,
Phone No. 080 : 4656 1236, E-mail: legal_ban@mahabank.co.in
Head Office: Lokmangal, 1501,Shivajinagar, Pune-5

POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property) [Appendix IV under the Act-Rule-8(1)]

WHEREAS, The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **Bank of Maharashtra** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, and in exercise of the powers conferred under Sub-Section (12) of Section 13 read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rule, 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **14.08.2025** calling upon the borrower, **M/s. Manjunatha Unit, Prop. Mr. K T Vijaykumar** & Guarantor, **Mr. K T Ravikumar,** to repay amount aggregating **Rs.20,38,272.00 (Rupees Twenty Lakh Thirty Eight Thousand Two Hundred Seventy Two Only)** plus unapplied interest thereon as mentioned in the demand notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said Notice. The notice was sent through Regd. AD Post.

The borrower & the guarantor having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower & the guarantor and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the properties described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on this **3rd day of November of the year 2025.**

The borrower as well as the guarantor in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties and any dealings with the properties will be subject to the charge of **Bank of Maharashtra, Brigade Road Branch, Bengaluru** for an amount hereinabove mentioned.

The borrower's as well as the guarantor's attention are invited to provisions of Sub-Section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The details of the properties mortgaged to the Bank and taken possession by the Bank are as follows:

All that piece and parcel of residential property House bearing No.1083, New Municipal No.21 & 21/1, PID No 53-17-21 and 53-17-21/1, admeasuring area 1860 sq. ft. (East to West 60 ft. and North to South 31 ft.) along with building consisted of Ground Floor admeasuring area 352.14 sq. ft.; 1st Floor admeasuring area 863.72 sq. ft.; 2nd Floor admeasuring area 863.72 sq. ft. and Terrace admeasuring area 292 sq. ft. lying and situated at BSK 1st Stage, 15th Main, Avalahalli Main Road, Srinagar, Bangalore- 560 050 and the property is butted and bounded as under: On or towards North : By Property No.1084, On or towards South : By Property No.1082, On or towards East : By Road, On or towards West : By Property No.1098.

Date :03.11.2025 Sd/- Chief Manager & Authorized Officer
Place : Bangalore Bank of Maharashtra, Bangalore Zone

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

A Government of India Undertaking
सिंडिकेट Syndicate
Head Office : Bengaluru

SALEM TOWN BRANCH
Steel Plaza, 42,
Kitchipalayam Main Road,
Salem - 636001.

DEMAND NOTICE [SECTION 13(2)]

Notice dated **13-10-2025** issued u/s 13(2) of the Securitisation & Reconstruction of Financial Assets & Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 by the **Canara Bank, Salem Town Branch.**

1. Sri. Dr. Jagadish J (Borrower & Mortgagor), S/o. Jayanand R, Plot No.94 & 95, Upkar Spring Fields, Neralur Vill, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru - 562 107. **2. Smt. Dr. Rekha (Co-Borrower & Mortgagor),** W/o. Dr. Jagadish J, Plot No.94 & 95, Upkar Spring Fields, Neralur Vill, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru - 562 107.

The captioned notice sent to you by registered post could not be served on you and returned undelivered. I have reason to believe that you are avoiding service of the demand notice to you. Therefore, the contents of the notice are being published in this newspaper. You have availed **1774-OSL-SYNDNIVAS NEW CONSTRUCTION-BR** Loan facility by executing relevant documents in favour of the bank to secure the repayment of the below said loan. You have committed default of repayment of the loan and an amount of **Rs.1,31,42,880.23/- (Rupees One Crore Thirty-One Lakh Forty-Two Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty and Paise Twenty-Three Only)** still outstanding in the books of accounts of the Bank as on **30-09-2025** and further interest at the rate agreed by you together with incidental expenses and other costs. To secure the money due or money that may become due to the bank, you have created the following security, among others, in favour of **Canara Bank, Salem Town Branch** by way of equitable mortgage.

DESCRIPTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of land and building in the name **Sri. Jagadish J, S/o. Jayanand R and Smt. Rekha, W/o. Jagadish J**

SITE NO. 94 : All that piece and parcel of vacant Site No. 94, formed in Layout known as "Upkar Spring Fields" comprising of Sy. No. 110/3 & 111/1 of NERALUR Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, vide E-Swathu No. 150200101500603453/94, duly converted from agriculture to Non-agriculture Residential purpose vide conversion order Nos. B.DIS/ALN(A)SR/208/04-05, Dated: 05-11-2004 and B.DIS/ALN (A)SR/324/2004-05, Dated: 24-12-2004, passed by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District and vide plan sanctioned by Bangalore Metropolitan Region Development Authority (BMRDA) bearing No. BMRDA/LAO/057/2004-05 (Part II) dated: 23-07-2005 vide revised plan dated: 31-10-2008 and as per release letter No. BMRDA/APA/LAO/057/ 2004-05 (Part II), Dated: 28-07-2005. Measuring : East to West 50' feet, North to South 80' feet, Totally measuring 4000 sq.ft. Together with R.C.C. Building (constructed as per approved plan) **Bounded** on the : **East by** Site No.95, **West by** Site No.93, **North by** Road, **South by** Site No.85.

SITE NO.95 : All that piece and parcel of vacant Site No. 95, formed in Layout known as "Upkar Spring Fields" comprising of Sy. No. 110/3 & 111/1 of NERALUR Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, vide E-Swathu No. 150200101500603454/95, duly converted from agriculture to Non-agriculture Residential purpose vide conversion order Nos. B.DIS/ALN(A)SR/208/04-05, Dated: 05-11-2004 and B.DIS/ALN (A)SR/324/2004-05, Dated: 24-12-2004, passed by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District and vide plan sanctioned by Bangalore Metropolitan Region Development Authority (BMRDA) bearing No. BMRDA/LAO/057/2004-05 (Part II) dated: 23-07-2005 vide revised plan dated: 31-10-2008 and as per release letter No. BMRDA/APA/LAO/057/ 2004-05 (Part II), Dated: 28-07-2005. Measuring : East to West 50' feet, North to South 80' feet, Totally measuring 4000' sq. ft. Together with R.C.C. Building (constructed as per approved plan). **Bounded** on the : **East by** Site No. 96, **West by** Site No. 94, **North by** Road, **South by** Site No. 84.

Therefore, you as a borrowers / guarantor in terms of the aforesaid notice have been called upon to pay the above said sum together with future interest thereon with monthly rest and costs etc to the bank within 60 days from the dated of aforesaid demand notice and also stating that on your failure to comply therewith, I, the Authorised Officer shall exercise all or any of the rights under section 13(4) of the Securitisation & Reconstruction of Financial Assets & Enforcement of Security Interest Act. 2002. Please note that in the event of your failure to comply the demand on or before 60 days from the date of this Publication of the contents of the demand notice by these presents we intend to enforce the aforesaid security. This publication is made in terms of Rule 3(1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002. In terms of Section 13(13) of the Act, you are restrained from alienating the secured assets herein from the date of notice without prior consent of the Bank.

DATE : 13-10-2025 **AUTHORISED OFFICER**
PLACE : Salem **CANARA BANK**

UJVN Limited

(An Uttarakhand Govt. Enterprise)
H.O.: "UJJWAL', Maharani Bagh, GMS Road, Dehradun-248006
Telephones: 0135- 2763808 & Fax- 0135- 2763508
CIN No U40101UR2001SGC025866, Website: www.ujvnl.com

पत्र सं0: 861 दिनांक: 04 / 11 / 2025

Corrigendum/Addendum-7

The addendum-7 for e-NIT No.: 01/UJVNL/DGM(Civil-AT&TP)/2025-26 invited by this office has been uploaded on e-procurement portal **http://uktenders.gov.in**. For any clarification and submission of queries kindly email us on **dgmcivilattp@gmail.com**. The other terms & conditions of bid document will remain same.

Details of subsequent addendum/corrigendum/cancellation etc. may be obtained from e-procurement portal "**http://uktenders.gov.in**"

Dy. General Manager (Civil)
Arakot-Tiuni &Tiuni Plasu Project, Dakpathar

"Avoid wasteful use of Electricity"

Mysore District Co-Operative Milk Producers'Societies Union Ltd.,

Bannur Road, Alanahalli Post, Mysuru-570028.
Phone No. 0821-2474475, Fax No.0821-2474476,
e - mail : purmymul@gmail.com

Short Term Tender Notification (Through e-procurement only)

Mysore Dist. Co-Op Ltd Milk Union Ltd., Mysore Invites tender from eligible Tenderers for the Supply of the following materials/services through e-procurement portal. For the tender document please visit e-procurement platform at **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

Sl No	Tender Notification No.	Items(Details)	Last Date for Submission of Tender
1	KMF/2025-26/ SE4166	Empanelment of Architect / Consultancy / PMC Services for Civil Engineering Projects of MYMUL.	10.11.2025 Before 05:00PM
2	KMF/2025-26/ IND1765	Supply of Jerkins and 25 KVA DG Set with accessories to Mymul, Mysore.	11.11.2025 Before 05:00PM
3	KMF/2025-26/ IND1764	Supply of Butter Duplex Cartons and Peroxichem on Biannual rate contract basis and caustic soda lye on Annual rate contract basis to Mymul, Mysore.	15.11.2025 Before 05:00PM
4	KMF/2025-26/ IND1763	Supply and installation of Milk Parlour Structure at Boothala pitch Mysore.	15.11.2025 Before 05:00PM
5	KMF/2025-26/ IND1762	Supply of Plastic Pallets to Mymul on ARC basis.	15.11.2025 Before 05:00PM

For further information please contact Purchase Department during working hours. **(Mobile No: 6366430821, 9482231739).**

Sd/- Managing Director
Mysore District Co-Operative Milk Union Ltd.,

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

(A Government of India Undertaking)

Yalahanka Dairy Cross Branch
#2051, 1st Floor, MIG "B" Section,
Mother Dairy Main Road, Double Road,
Yelahanka, Bengaluru-560064.

DEMAND NOTICE [SECTION 13(2)] TO BORROWERS/ GUARANTORS/MORTGAGORS

NOTICE ISSUED UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **Canara Bank,Yalahanka Dairy Cross Branch,** had issued Demand Notice under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Security Interest Act 2002 by Registered Post with Acknowledgment Due (RPAD) to the addresses furnished to the Bank as mentioned below. Since the notice has not been acknowledged and returned due to non-availability of addresses at the said addresses / due to evading of service of the notices sent by RPAD, notice could not be served. The contents of the said notice are mentioned herein below.

1. Name and Address of the Borrowers / Co-Borrowers/ Mortgagors /Guarantors: (1) Mrs. Pushpa M (Borrower/Mortgagor), (2) Mr. Pradeep M, (Guarantor), Both are residing at: No.1, Herohalli Lake, Viswaneedam Post, Magadi Road, Bengaluru-560091.

[Details of the credit facility/ies availed by the Borrower]

Sl. No	Nature of Loan/ Limit	Date of sanction (latest)	Sanctioned Limit	Liability With Interest As On Date	Rate of Interest
1	OSL-SYND MORTGAGE 04919830000010	28.04.2016	Rs. 27,50,000/-	Rs. 11,50,441.42	13.00 % (11% + 2% penal interest)

Total Liability Amount: Rs. 11,50,441.42 (Rupees Eleven Lakh Fifty Thousand Four Hundred Forty One and Paise Forty Two Only) together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

NPA Date : 29.10.2025 **Demand Notice Dated : 31.10.2025**

Details of security assets :

Name of the title Holder : Mrs. Pushpa M

Schedule of the Property : All that piece and parcel of the western side property bearing site no 7, old no 13, new PID no 72-W-0385-2 situated at Herohalli Village, Yeshwanthpur Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk measuring East to West 60 ft and North to South 40 ft , in all measuring 2400 sft, along with residential building standing thereon and bounded on the East by : Property belonging to Nagraj Holla, West by : Private Property, North by : 20 ft Road, South by : Government Kere.

You are here by called upon to pay **Canara Bank,** within a period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, the respective amount mentioned here above, failing which **Canara Bank** will take necessary action under the provisions of the said Act, against the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers and the Guarantors. The powers available to **Canara Bank** under the Act include (i) power to take possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers / Guarantors / Mortgagors including the rights to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realising secured assets and any transfer of secured assets by **Canara Bank** shall vest in the transferee rights in or in relation to, the secured asset transferred as if the transfer has been made by you. In terms of the provisions of section 13(13) of the said Act, you are hereby prohibited from transferring, either by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of your business), any of the secured assets as referred to in the Demand Notice and also Hypothecated / Mortgaged to the bank without prior written consent of the Bank. The notice is issued in terms of Section (13)2 of the said Act.

Date : 04.11.2025 Sd/- Authorised Officer
Place : Bengaluru Canara Bank

CITY UNION BANK LIMITED

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Credit Recovery and Management Department
Administrative Office : No. 24-B, Gandhi Nagar,
Kumbakonam - 612 001. **E-Mail id :** crmd@cityunionbank.in,
Ph : 0435-2432322, **Fax :** 0435-2431746

TENDER-CUM-AUCTION SALE NOTICE UNDER SARFAESI ACT 2002

The following property/ies mortgaged to **City Union Bank Limited** will be sold in Tender cum-Public Auction by the Authorised Officer of the Bank, under Rule 8 (6) & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, under the SARFAESI Act, 2002, for recovery of a sum of **Rs.37,09,435/- (Rupees Thirty Seven Lakh Nine Thousand Four Hundred and Thirty Five only)** as on **29-10-2025** together with further interest to be charged from **30-10-2025** onwards and other expenses, any other dues to the Bank by the borrowers / guarantors **No.1) Mr. Raghavendra Hegde, S/o. Manjunath Hegde, No.26/34, 50 Feet Main Road, Opp. Raghavendra Temple, T G Layout, Ittamadu Banasahankari 3rd Stage, Hosabyrohali, Bangalore - 560085. No.2) Mrs. Kavitha Raghavendra Hegde, W/o. Raghavendra Hegde, No.26/34, 50 Feet Main Road, Opp. Raghavendra Temple, T G Layout, Ittamadu Banasahankari 3rd Stage, Hosabyrohali, Bangalore - 560085.**

Immovable Property Mortgaged to our Bank
(Property Owned by Mr. Raghavendra Hegde, S/o. Manjunath Hegde)

All that Piece and Parcel of Immovable Property Situated at No.19, Survey No.124, V.P.Khata No.138, Kommaghatta, Hosabyrohalli, Archakara Layout, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore. Measuring : East to West : 20 ft., North to South : 30 ft., In all Measuring 600 sq.ft consisting of 5 sq.ft., RCC Sheet Roofed House. Boundaries : East by : House No.18, West by : Road, North by : House No.20, South by : Road.

Reserve Price : Rs.43,00,000/-
(Rupees Forty Three Lakh only)

AUCTION DETAILS

Date of Tender-cum-Auction Sale	Venue
11-12-2025	**City Union Bank Limited,** **Bengaluru-Banashankari Branch,** 784, II Phase, 7th Block, Banashankari, III State, 100 ft. Road, Bengaluru Urban - 560085. Telephone No.080-26423599, Cell Nos.9379877590, 8925964904.

Terms and Conditions of Tender-cum-Auction Sale :

(1) The intending bidders should be present in person for the auction and participate personally and give a declaration in writing to the effect that he/she is bidding for himself / herself. **(2)** The intending bidders may obtain the Tender Forms from **The Manager, City Union Bank Limited, Bengaluru-Banashankari Branch, 784, II Phase, 7th Block, Banashankari, III Stage, 100 ft. Road, Bengaluru Urban - 560085. (3)** The intending bidders should submit their bids only in the Tender Form prescribed in sealed envelopes addressed to **The Authorised Officer, City Union Bank Ltd.,** together with a Pay Order / Demand Draft for an EMD of **10%** of the Reserve Price, drawn in favour of **"City Union Bank Ltd.", on or before 12.00 Noon** on the date of Tender-cum-Auction Sale hereby notified. **(4)** For inspection of the property and other particulars, the intending purchaser may contact **Telephone No.080-26423599, Cell Nos.9379877590, 8925964904. (5)** The property/ies are sold on "As-is-where-is", "As-is-what-is" and "whatever-there is" basis. **(6)** The sealed tenders will be opened in the presence of the intending bidders at **01.00 p.m.** on the date of Tender-cum-Auction Sale hereby notified. Though in general the sale will be by way of closed tenders, the Authorised Officer may, at his sole discretion, conduct an Open Auction among the interested bidders who desire to quote a bid higher than the one received in the closed tender process, and in such an event, the sale shall be conferred on the person making highest bid. The sale, however, is subject to confirmation of City Union Bank Limited. **(7)** The successful bidder shall have to pay **25% (inclusive of EMD paid)** of the sale amount **immediately** on completion of sale and the balance amount of **75%** within **15 days** from the date of confirmation of sale, failing which the initial deposit of **25%** shall be forfeited. **(8)** The Sale Certificate will be issued by the Authorised Officer in favour of the successful purchaser only after receipt of the entire sale consideration within the time limit stipulated herein. **(9)** The successful purchaser shall bear the charges/fees payable for conveyance, such as stamp duty, registration fee etc., as applicable under law. **(10)** The successful bidder should pay the statutory dues (lawful house tax, electricity charges and other dues), TDS, GST if any, due to Government, Government Undertaking and local bodies. **(11)** The Authorised Officer shall have all the powers to accept or reject the bids or postpone or cancel the sale without assigning any reason whatsoever.

Place : Kumbakonam, Date : 03-11-2025 **Authorised Officer**

Regd. Office : 149, T.S.R. (Big) Street, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District,
Tamil Nadu - 612 001, **CIN -** L65110TN1904PLC001287,
Telephone No. 0435-2402322, **Fax :** 0435-2431746, **Website :** www.cityunionbank.com

कार्यालय अधिशाषी अभियन्ता, सार्वजनिक निर्माण विभाग, खण्ड - नगर (डीग)

क्रमांक : 505 दिनांक : 28.10.2025

निविदा सूचना संख्या : 16/2025-26

राजस्थान के राज्यपाल महोदय की ओर से सा०नि०वि० खण्ड-नगर के अधीन दो कार्य के लिए उपयुक्त श्रेणी में सार्वजनिक निर्माण विभाग में पंजीकृत संवेदकों एवं राज्य सरकार / केन्द्रीय सरकार के अधिकृत संगठनों / केन्द्रीय लोक निर्माण विभाग / डाक एवं दूर संचार विभाग / रेलवे इत्यादि में पंजीकृत संवेदकों, जो कि राजस्थान सरकार के विभिन्न सक्षम श्रेणी के संवेदकों के समकक्ष हो, से निर्धारित प्रपत्र में ई-प्रोक्यूरमेंट प्रक्रिया हेतु ऑन लाईन निविदा आमंत्रित की जाती हैं।

निविदा से संबंधित समस्त विवरण बेवसाईट www.eproc.rajasthan.gov.in"

एवं "www.sppp.raj.nic.in पर देखा जा सकता हैं। इच्छुक संवेदकों को अपने डिजिटल हस्ताक्षर के माध्यम से बेवसाईट "www.eproc.rajasthan.gov.in" पर रजिस्टर करवाना आवष्यक हैं।

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अधिशाषी अभियन्ता
सा०नि०वि० खण्ड-नगर

BANGALORE DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

T. Chowdaiah Road, Kumara Park West, Bengaluru - 560 020

No.: BDA/SLAO/03/2025-26 Date: 04.11.2025

PUBLIC PRESS RELEASE

The Authority has issued the final notification number HUD 292 MNX 93 dated 19.10.1994 for the construction of J.P. Nagar, 8th phase layout of 17 acres 17 gunte land in Survey No. 122 of Uttarahalli Hobli, Kothanur Village, Bengaluru South Taluk, and the final notification number for this land is HUD 292 MNX 93, dated 19.10.1994. The decision for this land has been approved by the Government on 22.09.1997. Shri. B.A. Nagaraj S/o B.P. Ashwath Narayana and Shri. B.A. Vasudeva are the notified Khatadars. It has been found that a private layout called Nrupathunga Layout has been created on the said land without obtaining approval from the Authority.

Since the said land is a notified area of the Authority, those who have purchased a plot and constructed/are constructing a building on the land of existing Survey No. 122 and those concerned with the vacant plots are hereby informed to submit all the original documents and two sets of copies thereof to the **Executive Engineer's office, South Division, Banashankari BDA Complex, Bengaluru-560070** by **21.11.2025**. In case of non-submission, further action will be taken as per the rules of the Authority.

Sd/- Commissioner, BDA, Bengaluru.

Indian Overseas Bank

**Residency Road Branch (0268)
No.133/2, Janardhan Tower
Residency Road Bengaluru
-560 025 PHONE NO- 080-22950268/270., EMAIL- 0800retail@iob.in**

POSSESSION NOTICE (for immovable property) (APPENDIX IV) [(Rule 8(1)]

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **Indian Overseas Bank** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a **Demand Notice dated 16.08.2025** calling upon the **borrowers / mortgagors / guarantors Mr.Shree Om Kumar Patel** residing at No.9 B Block Manasa Nilaya Kariamana Agrahara Bellandur Bengaluru 560103 (hereinafter referred as borrower) to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.57,10,525.99** (Rupees Fifty Seven Lakh Ten Thousand Five Hundred Twenty Five and Ninety nine Paise Only) as on **16.08.2025** with further interest at contractual rates and rests, charges etc., till date of realization, within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

(1) The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/ her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on this **03/11/2025.**

(2) The borrowers in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of Indian Overseas Bank for an amount of Rs.57,10,525.99 (Rupees Fifty Seven Lakh Ten Thousand Five Hundred Twenty Five and Ninety nine Paise Only) as on 16.08.2025 with interest thereon at contractual rates & rests as agreed, charges etc., from the aforesaid date mentioned in the demand notice till date of payment less repayments, if any, made after issuance of Demand Notice. The dues payable as on the date of taking possession is Rs.58,53,948.99 (Rupees Fifty Eight Lakh Fifty Three Thousand Nine Hundred Forty Eight and Ninety Nine Paise Only) as on 03.11.2025 payable with further interest at contractual rates & rests, charges etc., till date of payment.

(3) The borrowers attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section(8) of the Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to them, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of the Immovable Property - Prime Security:

Nature of Security: Equitable Mortgage followed by Registered memorandum of Residential house flat (Prime Security)

Particulars of Securities Schedule ' A' Property: All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Site No.21, Old Katha No.582/0/21, BBMP New Katha No.641/1/582/0/31/33/21, coming under the purview of BBMP Ward No.8 measuring East to West 70 feet and North to South 40 feet situated at Kodigehalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore and bounded on; East : Site No.18, West : Road, North : Site No.22, South : Site No.20.

Schedule B Property: All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Site No.22, Old Katha No.582/0/22, BBMP New Katha No.383/582/0/22 coming under the purview of BBMP Ward No.8 measuring East to West 70 feet and North to South 40 feet situated at Kodigehalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore and bounded on: East : Site No.17, West : Road, North : Site No.23, South : Site No.21.

Schedule C Property: Flat bearing No.F-202 on the Second Floor, with a Super Built up area of 1342 Square feet in the Apartment building known as "SHRI SAI SHANTHI NILAYA" car parking along with 230 square feet of undivided share constructed in Site No.21 and 22, measuring in total 5600 square feet vide Amalgamation Katha No.641/1/582/0/31/33/21 (Schedule A and B Properties) along with undivided share in the total land situated at Kodigehalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk with all civic amenities hereto and the exclusive right to own one Covered Car Parking Space in the Stilt Area, vide Flat F202 and Flat bounded as follows: East : Private Property (open to Sky), West : Flat No.F-204, North : Flat No.F-201, South : Private Property (open to Sky)

**Date: 03.11.2025
Place: Bangalore**

**Sd/- Authorised Officer
Indian Overseas Bank**

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A Government of India Undertaking)

Vidyaranyapura Branch
No.194, NTI Layout,
1st Cross Road Block, Vidyaranyapuram,
Bengaluru - 560097.

DEMAND NOTICE [SECTION 13(2)] TO BORROWERS/ GUARANTORS/MORTGAGORS

NOTICE ISSUED UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **Canara Bank, Vidyaranyapura Branch,** had issued Demand Notice under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Security Interest Act 2002 by Registered Post with Acknowledgment Due (RPAD) to the addresses furnished to the Bank as mentioned below. Since the notice has not been acknowledged and returned due to non-availability of addresses at the said addresses / due to evading of service of the notices sent by RPAD, notice could not be served. The contents of the said notice are mentioned herein below.

1. Name and Address of the Borrowers / Co-Borrowers/ Mortgagors /Guarantors: (1) Mrs. Susheelamma (Borrower/Mortgagor) W/o Krishnappa N, No.16, GKVK Road Thindlu, Bangalore North, Bengaluru-560097. **(2) Mr. Krishnappa N (Co-Borrower)** S/o Nanjundappa, No.626, Maharaja Street, Muniswamappa, Udayanagar, D V Nagar Post, Bengaluru-560016. **(3) Mr. N Kempanna (Guarantor),** 15 Thindlu, Vidyaranyapura, Bengaluru – 560097.

[Details of the credit facility/ies availed by the Borrower]

Sl. No	Nature of Loan/ Limit	Date of sanction (latest)	Sanctioned Limit	Liability With Interest As On Date	Rate of Interest
1	OSL-SYND NIVAS 04817740000156	08.08.2011	Rs. 15,00,000/-	Rs. 5,08,123.49	11.10 % (9.10% + 2% penal interest)
1	OSL-SYND NIVAS 04817740000207	14.02.2012	Rs. 3,00,000/-	Rs. 1,03,085.51	11.10 % (9.10% + 2% penal interest)

Total Liability Amount: Rs. 6,11,209/- (Rupees Six Lakh Eleven Thousand Two Hundred Nine Only) together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

NPA Date : 29.10.2025 **Demand Notice Dated : 31.10.2025**

Details of security assets :

Name of the title Holder : Mrs. Susheelamma W/o Krishnappa N

Schedule of the Property : All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site no.16, Old BBMP Katha NO 381/16, Present BBMP Katha No 91/16, Thindlu Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore, Measuring East to West 30 ft and North to South 40 ft and bounded on the East By: Site No.17, West By: Site No.13, North By: Vacant Land, South By: Road. Along with the Residential Building Constructed in it.

You are here by called upon to pay **Canara Bank,** within a period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, the respective amount mentioned here above, failing which **Canara Bank** will take necessary action under the provisions of the said Act, against the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers and the Guarantors. The powers available to **Canara Bank** under the Act include (i) power to take possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers / Guarantors / Mortgagors including the rights to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realising secured assets and any transfer of secured assets by **Canara Bank** shall vest in the transferee rights in or in relation to, the secured asset transferred as if the transfer has been made by you. In terms of the provisions of section 13(13) of the said Act, you are hereby prohibited from transferring, either by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of your business), any of the secured assets as referred to in the Demand Notice and also Hypothecated / Mortgaged to the bank without prior written consent of the Bank. The notice is issued in terms of Section (13)2 of the said Act.

**Date : 04.11.2025
Place : Bengaluru**

**Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank**

SBI State Bank Of India

Stressed Assets Recovery Branch - II

**No.44, 1st Floor, Eldams Road,
Teynampet, Chennai -600018.
Email: sbi.70674@sbi.co.in**

Authorised Official's Details Name: Shri Kailash Chandra Meena, Mobile: 9790960729, 044-24338112

Contact Person: City Case Officer - Name: Smt. M.Sathiavanimuthu, Deputy Manager, Mobile No. 9884474857

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY (See Provisio to Rule 8 (6))

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest(Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged to the Secured Creditor, the **Physical possession** of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of State Bank of India, the Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is Where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" basis on **27/11/2025** for recovery of **Rs.1,26,61,890/- (Rupees One crore twenty six lacs sixty one thousand eight hundred ninety only)** as on **30/10/2025** with future interest, costs, etc., due to the **State Bank of India, Stressed Asset Recovery Branch II, Chennai** from the Borrower(s) / Guarantor(s) as mentioned below.

Borrowers Name & Address: **Borrower:** **Kavitha.Y, W/o. Mr.Yesuraj,** **Co-Borrower:** **Mr.Yesuraj Sb, S/o Mr.Raju,** **Both are Address:** R/o #36, 104 Main Road, Next to Green land Tailor, Near Durga Prasad Hotel, Jeevanahalli, Cox Town, Bengaluru-560005 **Property Address**: Site No.II, Khatha No.50/1/5, K R Puram CMC, Property No.11 Sonnathommanahalli, Thambuchettypallya, K R Puram Hobli Bengaluru-560005.

Outstanding Amount : Rs.1,26,61,890/- (Rupees One crore twenty six lacs sixty one thousand eight hundred ninety only) as on **30/10/2025** with further expenses & cost and interest from **31/10/2025**

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY: Schedule A : All the piece and parcel of the property bearing Northern Portion Site No. 11, Assessment No.1620, Katha No.50/1/2 Formed in the Property No. 50/1, situated at Sonnathammanahalli @ Thambuchettypalya , K.R.Puram Hobli, Earlier Bangalore South Taluk Presently Bangalore East Taluk, earlier under the Jurisdiction of K.R.Puram CMC, presently under the Jurisdiction BBMP Limits, Bangalore, Measuring East to West: 40 Feet and North to South 20 Feet, in all total measuring 800 sq.ft and Bounded on the East by Road, West by Site No.12, North by Site No 10, South by; Remaining Portion same Site No.11. **As per Sale Deed No.9039/2017-18 dated 20.01.2018 in the name of Mrs.Kavitha Kumar & Mr.Yesuraj**

Status of Possession : Constructive

RESERVE PRICE ₹ 82,00,000/- **EMD ₹ 8,20,000/-** **BID INCREMENT AMOUNT ₹ 50,000/-**

Date & Time of Inspection Properties: Date: 21.11.2025, Time: 10.00 a.m to 4.00 p.m

DATE & TIME OF E-AUCTION: 27.11.2025 Time: 11.00 AM to 04.00 PM | With auto time extension of 10 minutes each till sale is completed

Encumbrances known to the Bank, if any: NIL

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in State Bank of India, the Secured Creditor's website **www.bank.sbi & https://baanknet.com**

**Date : 30.10.2025,
Place : Chennai**

**Authorized Officer,
State Bank of India, SARB-II, Chennai**

MAHAVITARAN
Maharashtra State Electricity Distribution Co. Ltd.

E-Tender Notice

Turnkey Contract for Infrastructure Development Works in Various Zones of MSEDCL under 'POWER DISTRIBUTION ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM UNDER ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK (ADB)' Scheme

The Chief Engineer (Special Projects), Prakashgad, Mumbai wishes the Bids from eligible bidders for Supply, Erection, Testing & Commissioning of various Infrastructure Development works under Various Zones of MSEDCL, Maharashtra through **e-tendering website of MSEDCL,** duly super scribing with tender No., due date and opening date & time as follows:

Tender No.	Zone	Tender Cost (Rs. Crore)	* Tender Fees (Rs.)
CE-SPD/ADB/2025-26/ T-01	Ch. Sambhajinagar	227.46	29,500.00
CE-SPD/ADB/2025-26/ T-02	Latur	362.24	29,500.00
CE-SPD/ADB/2025-26/ T-03	Nanded	175.13	29,500.00
CE-SPD/ADB/2025-26/ T-04	Nashik	248.68	29,500.00
CE-SPD/ADB/2025-26/ T-05	Amaravati	143.43	29,500.00
CE-SPD/ADB/2025-26/ T-06	Chandrapur	135.78	29,500.00
CE-SPD/ADB/2025-26/ T-07	Gondia	65.80	29,500.00
CE-SPD/ADB/2025-26/ T-08	Nagpur	448.85	29,500.00
CE-SPD/ADB/2025-26/ T-09	Baramati	405.02	29,500.00
CE-SPD/ADB/2025-26/ T-10	Kolhapur	310.20	29,500.00

* Tender Fee (including 18% GST) is to be paid by e-payment only, directly through net banking to MAHADISCOM account.

● Availability of bid documents on website	03-11-2025
● Date and time of sale of bid documents	03-11-2025 at 18.00 Hrs
● Date and time of Pre-bid Meeting	11-11-2025 at 15:00 Hrs.
● Date & time of Bid Submission	24-11-2025 up to 15.00 Hrs
● Date and time of opening of technical bids	24-11-2025 at 16.00 Hrs

This notice is general intimation for the interested Bidders. The details of the tenders are available on MSEDCL's e-tendering Website https://etender.mahadiscom.in/eatApp/. The Agencies are requested to visit our Website to register themselves for e-Tenders. Memorandum/ corrigendum etc. will not be published in the newspaper.

**Sd/-
Chief Engineer (Special Projects)
MSEDCL, Mumbai**

HO PR No. 228/25 Dt. 03.11.2025

बैंक ऑफ़ इंडिया Bank of India **BOI**

Bengaluru Zone, # 11, Kempegowda Road, Bangalore-09. Tel: 080-2295 9407/08.
Fax: 080-2228 9054, E-mail: AssetRecovery.Bengaluru@bankofindia.bank.in

Ref. No: BZO/ARB/SALENOTICE/2025-26/AK/73 Date: 30/10/2025

E-AUCTION SALE

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with provision to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of BANK OF INDIA, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 09-12-2025, for recovery of an aggregate amount of Rs.2,02,42,122/- (Rupees Two Crore Two Lakhs Forty Two Thousand One hundred and Twenty Two) for home loan (840575110000375) and Personal Loan (840560210000123) along with further interest thereon @10.20% p.a. compounded with monthly rests, costs and other charges due to BANK OF INDIA, Asset Recovery Branch from borrower/guarantor Mr. Sridhar M.S, Mr. Murali G and/or Mr. Mahesha S.

The reserve price, EMD amount and Property details are as mentioned hereunder:

Description of the Immoveable Property	Reserve Price	EMD
Schedule 'A' Property All that piece and parcel of the residential plot bearing No.6 (previously Eastern portion of Plot no 6) situated at Bride Street, Langford town, Bangalore 560025 and measuring in all about 3175.06 sq.feet and property is bounded on the: East by: Private property West by: Common Passage to ingress and egress and property belonging to legal heirs of Late Smt.Chitra Sukumar North by: Property bearing no 6/1 belonging to Sri Prithvi Jayasurya South by: Private property **Schedule 'B' property** A total of approximately 454 square feet undivided share, right, title and interest in land i.e the Schedule 'A' Property **Schedule 'C' property** All that piece and parcel of the residential apartment bearing No 6/6, on the Northern side of the Third Floor, in the building known as "Padma Palace" constructed on the Schedule A Property, having Super built up area of 1400 Sq.ft (1250 Sq.ft built up area), along with One car parking space in the Ground Floor and the Apartment construction is of RCC Roofing, Vitrified flooring, brick wall, including other amenities provided to the entire Apartment	**Rs.1,62,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore Sixty Two Lakhs**	**Rs.16,20,000/- (Rupees Sixteen Lakhs Twenty Thousand)**

To the best knowledge and information available with the Authorised Officer, there is no encumbrance on the property referred above. However, the intending bidders should make their own independent inquiries regarding the encumbrances, title of the property and to inspect & satisfy them.

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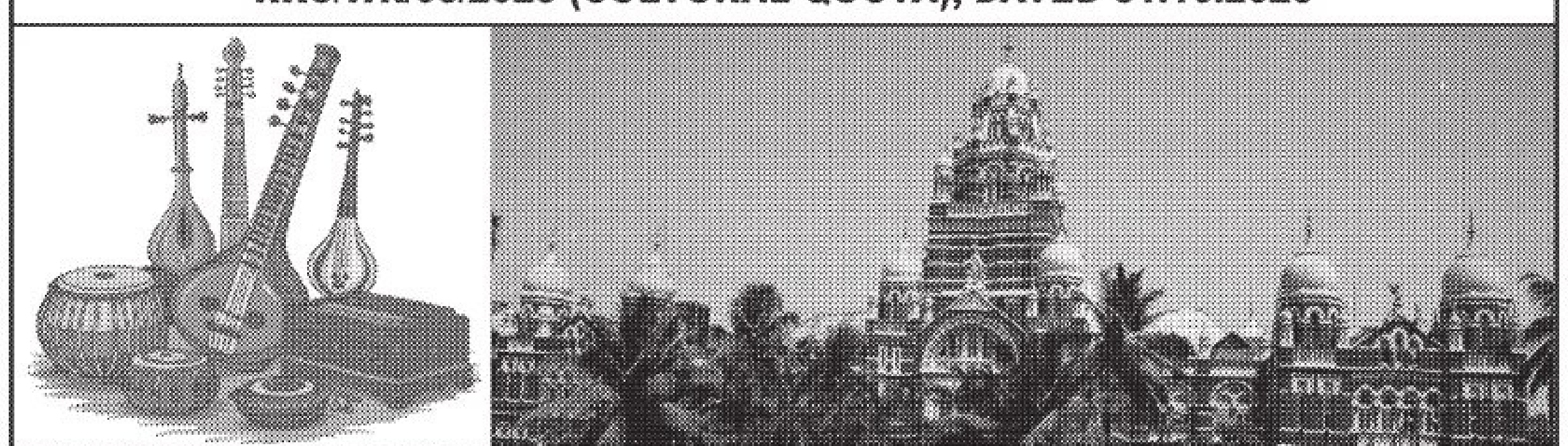

Opening Date and Time	03.11.2025 @10:00 Hrs.
Closing Date and Time	03.12.2025 @ 18:00 Hrs.

- **Important:**
- Please read all the instructions in this notification carefully and ensure that you are eligible to apply before filling the application form Online.
- Applicants can submit their applications ONLINE only on RRC's website **https://www.rrc-wr.com**
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			B, LV	BL, OL, LC, DW, AAV	NO
2	Dancer (Male / Female)	01	Not suitable for PwBD*		

* Since, Dancer requires the use of all fully functional senses and limbs, therefore this post is only suitable for NON PwBD.
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2. For further details, refer Employment Notification No. RRC/WR/03/2025 (Cultural Quota) dated 03.12.2025 uploaded on RRC/WR's Website **https://www.rrc-wr.com**.

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BRIEF TENDER NOTIFICATION NO: 13/25-26, **Date: 04-11-2025**

(Through e-procurement Portal Only-Short term)

Item Rate tenders are invited on e-procurement basis by the Executive Engineer, Harangi Rehabilitation Division, Kushalnagara, Somwarapet Taluk, Kodagu District on behalf of the Managing Director, CNNL, Bangalore from eligible contractors for the work Estmate amount for the works is **Rs. 100.00 lakhs** for 6 works.

The contractors can have access / download tender document from e-procurement and last date to submitt the filled tender document is **13-11-2025** till 4.00 PM. Technical bid will be opened on **14-11-2025** at 4.30 pm onwards and Financial bid will be opened after Approval of the Technical Bid. All the information is available on e-procurement web-site address **http://kppp.Karnataka.gov.in.**

Tender processing fee as stipulated in the e-procurement portal is applicable for the work . Additional information can be obtained from the undersigned during office hours. Any changes due to any reason will be posted only on the KPPP portal and will not be published in the newspapers

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Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged to the Secured Creditor, the Symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on **21.11.2025 (10.30 AM to 11.00 AM),** for recovery of **Rs. 86,52,220.31/-** (Rupees Eighty six lakhs fifty two thousand two hundred and twenty and paisa thirty one only) as on 02.11.2025 with further interest and cost thereon due to the **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru of Canara Bank** from **1. Veena Laxmi Parasuraman** D/o. C S Parsuraman, No. 38, Kagal Nagar Road, No. 2, Jamshedpur, Sonari East, Singhbhum, Jharkhand-831011. **Also at** : E-406, 3rd Floor, E Block Garden Residency, Sy No. 108/3, Kachanayakanahalli, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk - 560099.

The Earnest Money shall be Deposited by way of E-Wallet of **M/s. PSB Alliance Private Limited (https://baanknet.com/)** portal directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through RTGS/NEFT in the account details as mentionedin the said challan on or before **20.11.2025, 5.00 pm.** **(Rs. in Lacs)**

Lot	Description of the immovable/ movable assets	Reserve Price	EMD	Incremental value Rs.
1	MODTD OF All that piece and parcel of Property Comprising One apartment unit. Flat bearing No. E-406, 3rd floor In E-Block, In the Apartment Known as "GARDEN RESIDENCY" Located in SYno 108/3, (Previous Portion of SY No 108/2, property No. 522/108/3, RDPR NO 150200103200820885 Situated at Kachanayakanahalli Village, Hennagara Village Panchayat, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru District -560099. Super Built Up area of 1089 Sq. feet. Standing in the name of Smt. Veena Laxmi Parasuraman. **Boundaries as follows : East :** 405 and Then lift, **West :** Open to Sky of the Apart Bldg., **North :** Common corridor, **South :** Area open to sky of the apart bldg. **Coordinates of the property** **Latitude- 12.80502** **Longitude- 77.67693**	**53.34**	**5.34**	**0.50**

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.

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TRUMP RISKS DRAGGING WORLD INTO A NEW NUCLEAR ARMS RACE

US President Donald Trump's regressive decision on restarting nuclear weapons tests throws a spanner in decades of global work on a moratorium. Except for rogue North Korea, no other country has violated the Comprehensive Nuclear Test Ban Treaty that came into effect in 1996. The US signed it, but its senate never ratified the treaty. China, too, did not ratify it, and Russia revoked its ratification in 2023. Yet, the big three showed enough responsibility to stay off live testing. This norm could be torn asunder if the US administration walks the testing talk. Trump justified his decision saying Russia, China, North Korea, and Pakistan are already doing it. However, except for Pyongyang, there is no evidence of any other country indulging in live nuclear tests. US Energy Secretary Chris Wright sought to clarify that his boss's proposal does not involve live nuclear detonations. "These are system tests, non-critical explosions," he explained. But nuclear powers are not barred from sub-critical tests. So, what is the big deal? Chances are that Trump is following the Project 2025 playbook—a radical think tank's blueprint for governance during Trump 2.0—that urges the president to be willing to conduct tests in response to adversaries' actions. A major part of Trump 2.0's policy mess can be traced back to Project 2025.

Trump perhaps played the nuclear card because Russian President Vladimir Putin refused to scale down his maximalist demand for territory to end the Ukraine war. Instead, Putin spoke about three new cutting-edge nuclear assets—Poseidon, a nuclear-powered and -armed torpedo; Burevestnik, a nuclear cruise missile; and Satan 2, a nuclear-capable intercontinental ballistic missile that is supposed to be imminently deployed. While Putin knew what he was talking about, Trump's understanding of nuclear issues seems muddled. Besides, the faltering New START Treaty to reduce the stockpile of US and Russian nuclear arms is due to expire in another three months.

The problem with the resumption of live bomb testing is that it could prompt a global nuclear arms race to test and upgrade the existing stockpiles, throwing multilateral safeguards out of the window. At a time when the world is grappling with intense geopolitical tensions and climate change, it would be foolhardy to add the risk of nuclear radiation. One hopes better sense will prevail.

SOIL SOLUTION CAN BOOST FARMING, CUT POLLUTION

A new initiative is underway in Karnataka to increase soil fertility and protection—focusing on sugarcane, but extendable to a wider range of crops. It involves reusing sugarcane waste and residues instead of burning them. Incinerating the waste destroys fertility, kills microorganisms essential for soil health, increases air pollution, and harms the environment. At least 3,000 hectares of farmland across five Karnataka districts have been selected for the initiative that includes training farmers in composting techniques to transform residues into organic manure.

Using agricultural waste-based organic compost not only supports microbial activity in the soil, but also improves its water efficiency, fertility, and reduces weed control expenses and dependence on chemical fertilisers. Mineralisation of organic matter in the soil helps increase the availability of phosphorus, a vital nutrient for plant growth and reproduction. Phosphorus is crucial for photosynthesis, energy transfer, and DNA synthesis in plants, and promotes robust root development, improves crop yields, and helps tolerate environmental stress like drought and salinity.

Earlier this month, International Union for Conservation of Nature, the global conservation agency, adopted a landmark motion to pave the way for the world's first model legal framework for soil protection. The IUCN will constitute a working group to develop the concepts and parameters for an international convention that would create the model law; it would then be hopefully integrated it into the national frameworks of IUCN's 88 member nations including India. This soil security law is expected to act as a catalyst for nations to integrate soil protection measures with their agricultural, climate, and restoration frameworks.

This is the right time for the Union ministry of environment, forests and climate change, the state agriculture departments, and field experts to come together and exploit the opportunity offered by the twin initiatives unfolding in India and abroad—both of which aim to improve soil health, agriculture, and the quality and quantity of crop output. Pursuing safe practices for improving soil health by using organic waste and crop residues will undeniably yield bonuses. For one, it will lead to a significant reduction in stubble burning, which has drastically increased air pollution—across North India in general and around Delhi in particular. In the longer run, it will give a hefty boost to food security and benefit farmers through reduced production costs. It indeed would be an important win for all.

QUICK TAKE

FALL OF THE MAPLE LEAF

INDIAN students' Canadian dream has soured. Far fewer Indian students applied to study there in 2025 and, at the same time, Canada rejected most of the applications. Armed with a new verification system, Canada rejected three in four Indian applications for post-secondary studies this year, compared to one in three two years ago. The Canadian authorities also confirmed that among the 1,550-odd applications linked to fraudulent letters of acceptance in 2023, most were from India. While it's impossible to police the huge industry of formal and informal overseas study consultants that has mushroomed across India, local authorities can probe those responsible for fraud once it comes to light. After all, it's Indians' reputation abroad that's at stake, too.

A year on, Sri Lanka's ruling alliance seems intent on keeping its promise to sharpen anti-graft laws and prosecute the corrupt. But it's failing to relieve the common man's financial burden

NPP REPORT CARD: TWO TICKS AND A HEAVY CROSS

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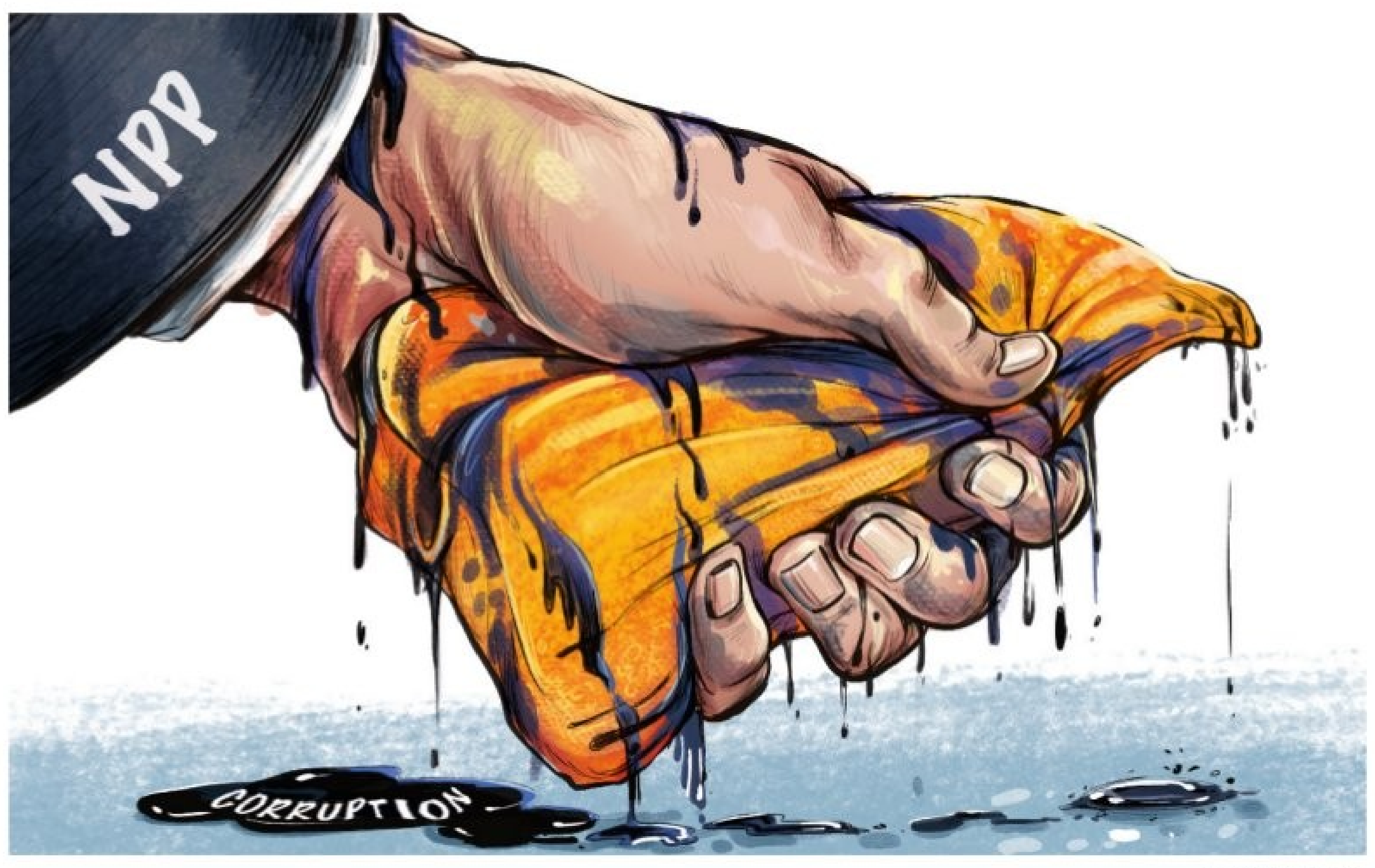

MANDAR PARDIKAR

SRI Lankans went to polls on November 14, 2024 with the clear intent of ending the traditional two-party rule and electing an administration that would fight corruption and prosecute the corrupt. The National People's Power (NPP), in their opposition days, did make it sound easy to bring the "stolen money back"; but the reality of a year in office showed it is harder to do. Still, for all that isn't achieved yet, the NPP administration has demonstrated a better political will to fight corruption than the earlier administrations.

So, a year on, the disenchantment with incumbency that has set in has more to do with the government's failure to provide economic relief, cut crippling taxes, and lower the unbearable cost of living than its fight against corruption. Before coming to office, the NPP had pledged to renegotiate with the International Monetary Fund, set up a new national development bank, and improve governance structures in a clear departure from the past.

However, this government has continued with the IMF process adopted by former President Ranil Wickremesinghe and has used provisions of the Anti-Corruption Act 2023 and the amended National Audit Act—two important measures taken by the former administration. The 2023 anti-graft law effectively expanded the mandate of the Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption, including in detection and prosecution, in probing the private sector, in seeking and facilitating international cooperation against corruption, and in making asset and liability declarations mandatory for public officials.

Another significant development was the enactment of the Regulation of Election Expenditure Act No 3 of 2023—a longstanding demand of civil society—that at long last allows regulation of election spending by parties and candidates. It was followed this year by the much-awaited Proceeds of Crime Act No 5 of 2025, which enables recovery of proceeds through freezing, forfeiture, and disposal. Both these are milestones in tackling graft. To make the bulwark stronger, the Companies (Amendment) Act No 12 of 2025 mandates the disclosure of beneficial owners, another vital step contributing to a stronger legal framework to combat systemic corruption.

In effect, the anti-corruption legal framework that Sri Lanka has been developing for some time was finalised by the NPP administration this year. However, an important unfulfilled promise is the setting up of a public prosecutor's office to enable impartial prosecution.

The government has also made several arrests within a year, sparking a stinging political debate over their motives. Wickremesinghe was recently detained over accusations of improper use of public funds. The administration weathered sharp criticism from some opposition groups, but sent a strong public message that no one enjoyed immunity and the political elite would not be protected, as was done in the past. Convictions do take time, but in their absence—after boastful claims of having sufficient evidence to prosecute—the failure to proceed beyond arrests will only invite public mistrust.

The government has also recently slashed some benefits of former presidents, reclaimed several state-owned homes occupied by them, and launched inquiries against former legislators, public servants, and police officers. It is inspiring to see the fight against corruption and some criticism for it is par for the course. But the litmus test will be how the NPP administration responds to allegations of corruption and lack of integrity among its own representatives.

The ruling alliance's self-proclaimed lily-white status was challenged within days of taking oath—when Asoka Ranwala, a first-time parliamentarian who was appointed parliament speaker, had his PhD claim challenged, forcing him to resign from the high office. A year later, he continues as an MP without offering a credible explanation about his failure to present his PhD certificate.

More serious allegations have been levelled against Energy Minister Kumara Jayakody over his involvement in the misappropriation of millions during his tenure at the Ceylon Fertiliser Company. Senior politician Wasantha Samarasinghe, the NPP's minister of trade and food security, is being investigated by the Colombo Fraud Investigation Bureau over an alleged fraud and forgery involving the lease of a public building and land belonging to the National Workers' Institute. The latest to come under the microscope is popular actor-turned-politician Jagath Manuwarna. On October 29, the Colombo Fort Magistrate issued a warrant for his arrest for failing to appear before the court in a 2008 case involving allegations of financial misconduct and conspiracy.

The new administration must be cognisant that it would be judged by its efficiency in dealing with corruption, malpractice, and integrity issues of its own, apart from of others. Caesar's wife must be above suspicion, goes the adage—one that the NPP will do good to bear in mind and factor in the strong public expectations to protect its image as an anti-graft administration.

Fighting corruption will take time, as the wheels of justice roll slowly. Meanwhile, private citizens will have to contend with their overwhelming financial challenges as 12 million registered taxpayers face disproportionate levies.

As it marks its first year in office, the NPP administration should adopt a balancing act. While driving reforms and fighting corruption, it also needs to provide relief for the public reeling from the debilitating aftereffects of the 2022 economic collapse. The IMF-imposed austerity measures continue to tighten the noose around their necks. The poverty rate has increased to 24.5 percent, while the rate of school dropouts is on the rise, as is malnutrition. While single-mindedly chasing economic recovery goals, the government must not lose the early gains made by the country in both public healthcare and education. In the end, it is not possible to prioritise one over the other—reality calls for combining the two.

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ONUS BEYOND THE ₹51-CRORE BONUS

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Journalist who has covered cricket for more than 25 years

THE floodgates opened by Harmanpreet Kaur & Co's World Cup win are unleashing wave after positive wave. There is the satisfaction every player steps onto the field for, the pride of parents and coaches who support from the sidelines, the inspiration of young girls and boys everywhere who will vocalise their dreams with less diffidence, and the inevitable claiming of credit.

There has even been talk on whether the ₹51-crore bonus the Board of Control for Cricket in India announced for the team and the support staff was enough. It's an exceptionally good space for women's cricket to be in, and those who have worked tirelessly behind the scenes will take the win. But India's win also presents a tremendous opportunity—one that does not come by often enough—and it will be interesting to see if the BCCI has the alacrity to seize it.

The question around the bonus is tricky. For starters, a bonus is not something you demand. When the Indian men's team won the Champions Trophy, they received a bonus of ₹58 crore, and given that the men's contingent is larger, the difference in amount is negligible. But this is the first World Cup win for the women, and you can see why there was the thought that the BCCI could have been more generous.

The other side of that coin is that women's cricket does not yet attract the sort of viewership the men's team does. And it is from this that revenue follows—an aspect the administrators fall back on to justify equal pay for matches (men and women play games of the same duration), but different pay scales in central contracts.

Also, the women play far fewer matches and therefore are remunerated less. This too is a complex issue, as the BCCI and perhaps the England and Australia boards are financially well enough to plough money into the women's game; but this is not the case elsewhere. Even if the BCCI wanted to give the Indian team more opportunities, the calendar would not come close to matching the men's game because there isn't enough viable opposition to play.

Now, all these are ground realities, but the opportunity before the Indian board is a clear one. While it must be acknowledged that the men's and women's games are different ecosystems, it is less clear if the BCCI recognises its obligation to promote and support the men's and women's games with equal intent and resources.

The 'returns'—for want of a better word—from the women's game will be relatively insignificant compared to the men's. And yet, the game is not administered by the Board of Control for Men's Cricket in India. The opportunity before the BCCI is to embrace genuine inclusivity. If they see investing in women's cricket as its responsibility, and not as doing a favour to a game that cannot sustain itself financially, this World Cup win would have served its truest purpose.

AFP

BCCI's bonus for the women's team's World Cup win is comparable with what the men got after Champions Trophy. To build upon the success, several stakeholders will have to see more value in the women's game. Big crowds at well-managed tournaments can be a start

In the men's game, the BCCI has reaped the benefits of inclusivity. It was not that long ago that the sport was concentrated in metros. Anyone from smaller cities had to travel far to access infrastructure, coaching, and technical know-how.

That changed when talent fought its way from the hinterland to the highest level—Mahendra Singh Dhoni's being an especially illustrative case. This then led to more investment, which in time ensured wider representation and access to a much larger talent pool.

In that sense, the BCCI has proof of concept in terms of investing in underserved sections of cricket in India. It pays dividends, and they have the money to do so. The will has historically been lacking; but that, too, has changed.

The women's team is better supported in terms of access to the Centre of Excellence in Bengaluru, quite possibly the best preparatory facility in cricket in the world that attracts top-notch coaching talent. Amol Muzumdar is rightly getting credit for holding this team together, but others such as W V Raman and Ramesh Powar also played a part in laying the foundations. India's women now travel well and stay in comfort, and this has trickled down to the state level with the more responsible associations.

All the incremental improvements are welcome, but what will be a game-changer is a genuine paradigm shift. If the BCCI hopes to grow the women's game to greater strength, it needs other stakeholders to come to the party. Grounds must be filled, and to this end, series and tournaments must be planned in advance, with spectators given access to the same facilities as at men's matches. Broadcasters must see value in women's cricket, and the television rights need to be priced smartly. Sponsors have to get a genuine return on investment and stop viewing women's cricket as a part of their corporate social responsibility budget.

For all this to happen—and there is no reason it cannot—the first step is for the BCCI to put its money where its mouth is. The question should not be whether a ₹51-crore bonus is enough. Instead, it should be: where can we find the money to make this even bigger? Thankfully, the BCCI have no real difficulty on that count. All that remains is for them to be true to their name, and not see women's and men's cricket as two different entities.

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Gritty girls

Ref: *More than a world cup* (Nov 4). It's a fact that women have to work twice as hard to get recognition, but this time Team India have proved their worth beyond doubt. The grit and dedication of the girls bore fruit and words are inadequate in expressing the joy.
Elizabeth Koshy, Pathanamthitta

Indonesian lesson

Ref: *A Balinese turnaround* (Nov 4). It is quite astonishing to see Indonesia, having attracted millions of tourists annually, creating an ideal of ecologically-responsible tourism. It is an appreciated decision, especially the limited use of water reservoirs.
Habib Khan, Haveri

Tongue twister

Ref: *A linguistic game of definitions* (Nov 4). In Buddhism, there is an interesting tale which birthed the theory of nothing. A beggar, upon asking for alms, gets the reply, "Nothing will be given to you." He continues to wait, and when a passerby enquires, he replies, "I'm waiting to receive nothing." Something comes of nothing.
P Prema, Thanjavur

Test cycle

Ref: *Pak on list of nations doing N-weapons test* (Nov 4). Pakistan's nuclear testing should not prompt a retaliatory response from any nation, as it could escalate into a cycle of reciprocal testing, undermining global stability. A tit-for-tat approach only exacerbates tensions, disrupts diplomatic efforts, and jeopardises regional security.
Prakash, Dharmapuri

Sudanese crisis

Ref: *US pushes for Sudan truce* (Nov 4). Fierce clashes and displacement of thousands after the fall of El-Fasher in Sudan's Darfur makes it a humanitarian crisis. The conflict has also affected the Indian diaspora engaged in trade and healthcare. India should coordinate with the UN for evacuation and aid.
R S Narula, Patiala

Dynasts' chokehold

Ref: *Dynastic politics a grave threat to democracy in India, says Tharoor* (Nov 4). Apart from posing a grave threat to democracy, nepotism triggers the mushrooming of smaller political parties, whose leaders find their progress choked by dynasts. Actor-turned-politician Vijay is a classic example who could have easily come under the DMK umbrella if the party had followed intra-party democracy.
N Balakrishnan, Chennai

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POSTS OF THE DAY

Supriya Shrinate @SupriyaShrinate

In Bihar, criminals are being arrested with their consent. Well done Modi-Nitish government. The air has been let out of the balloon of so-called good governance.

Nilanjan Das @NilanjanDasAITC

Fooling & humiliating the people of Bengal in the name of SIR has become @BJP4Bengal's trademark politics - a dangerous mix of hypocrisy & betrayal.

Sambit Patra @sambitswaraj

Tejashwi says we will give jobs to every family... when we give jobs to every family, not an inch of land will be left in Bihar.

Govt intensifies war on terror funding, SOP soon

Plans to put financial, enforcement agencies under unified framework

MUKESH RANJAN @ New Delhi

IN a renewed and intensified effort to dismantle the financial infrastructure supporting terrorism, the government is working on formulating a Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) to strengthen coordination among key financial and enforcement agencies, officials said on Tuesday.

The initiative, they said, was aimed at identifying and neutralising hidden terror networks by tracking irregular money flows, suspicious transactions and undeclared financial linkages among individuals and organisations.

The officials said that the plan would bring together the Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT), the Enforcement Directorate (ED) and the Financial Intelligence Unit–India (FIU) under a unified framework, which will enable the agencies to share intelligence, analyse financial irregularities and launch synchronised investigations into suspected terror-financing cases.

The unified SOP would also create "a systematic method for flagging unexplained remittances, layering of funds, dubious NGO donations and the use of shell firms or hawala routes", the officials said.

"The agencies will pool data and insights to identify patterns suggesting links to terror financing or organised crime. The framework will focus on improving information exchange between central and state enforcement bodies, ensuring faster and more effective responses to potential threats," a senior official said.

The new plan marks a shift toward data-driven intelligence, as this will enable authorities to deploy advanced analytics and technology-based monitoring tools.

"The approach is moving from reactive investigation to proactive detection," he said, adding: "By leveraging data analytics and coordinated operations, agencies can preempt fund diversions and target the masterminds who orchestrate these financial networks."

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Alignment with FATF

The soon to be worked out SOP is also aimed at aligning India's efforts with global anti-terror financing frameworks, such as those laid out by the Financial Action Task Force (FATF). The Officials believe that this will enhance India's credibility on the international stage and strengthen its case against terror groups operating through transnational financial proxies.

India, Israel resolve to fight terrorism

JAYANTH JACOB @ New Delhi

INDIA and Israel have decided to intensify cooperation in counter-terrorism, trade, infrastructure, and regional connectivity following talks between External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar and his Israeli counterpart Gideon Sa'ar, who is on his first official visit to India.

The discussions also highlighted shared commitment to a "zero-tolerance" approach toward terrorism, with Jaishankar emphasising that the two countries face "a particular challenge" from the menace. "It is essential that we work towards ensuring a global approach of zero tolerance towards terrorism, in all its forms and manifestations," Jaishankar said.

Sa'ar echoed these sentiments, describing "radical terror" as a common threat. He reiterated Israel's condemnation of the April terror attack in Pahalgam and detailed the ongoing fight against Hamas, Hezbollah, and the Houthis, labeling them "radical terror states." Stressing the need to uproot such forces, Sa'ar said: "The eradication of Hamas' terrorist state is at the heart of President Trump's plan. Hamas must be disarmed, Gaza must be demilitarised. We will not compromise on it."

S Jaishankar (right) with his Israeli counterpart Gideon Sa'ar in New Delhi | PTI

The evolving situation in Gaza and the recently revived US-brokered peace plan featured prominently in the talks. Jaishankar spoke about India's support for the peace process, saying New Delhi hopes it will "pave the way for a durable and lasting solution." He also welcomed the release of hostages and the return of remains of those killed in the conflict.

The meeting came against the backdrop of the first phase of the US-backed 20-point peace plan between Israel and Hamas, which led to a ceasefire in Gaza and the release of captives on both sides.

Sa'ar, who is the fifth Israeli minister to visit India this year, highlighted Prime Minister Narendra Modi's early show of solidarity with Israel after the October 7 attacks. "We remember he was the first world leader to call Prime Minister Netanyahu after Hamas' massacre, and we won't forget it," he said.

Beyond security issues, both sides discussed deepening collaboration under the India-Middle East-Europe Economic Corridor (IMEC) and expanding economic engagement. Sectors such as trade, technology, innovation, and mobility of professionals were on the agenda. Jaishankar noted that Indian workers are present in growing numbers in Israel, currently estimated at around 40,000, mainly in caregiving and construction. "They have some issues which need attention, and I hope we can take that dimension of our ties forward," he said.

Lanka Oppn seeks India help to deepen ties

JAYANTH JACOB @ New Delhi

SRI LANKA'S Opposition Leader Sajith Premadasa has called for a deeper and more dynamic partnership with India, emphasising that New Delhi's support is crucial for his country's recovery from what he described as a "triple tragedy" namely the Easter Sunday terror attacks, the COVID-19 pandemic, and a severe economic collapse.

Premadasa, who is on a visit to New Delhi, held a series of meetings with Lok Sabha Speaker Om Birla, Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman, and External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar among others, to discuss economic cooperation, investment opportunities, and regional stability. Speaking at the Indian Council of World Affairs (ICWA), he stressed that Sri Lanka's relationship with India is "indispensable". to steer the nation out of its current crisis.

Jaishankar echoed similar sentiments, reaffirming India's continued support for Sri Lanka's progress under the "Neighbourhood First" policy.

Concerned over misuse of Pocso Act, says SC

SUCHITRA KALYAN MOHANTY
@ New Delhi

NOTING that the POCSO Act is being misused in cases of marital discord and consensual relationships between adolescents, the Supreme Court on Tuesday emphasised the need to spread awareness in boys and men about its legal provisions.

A bench of Justices BV Nagarathna and R Mahadevan was hearing a PIL seeking directions to sensitise people about the penal provisions for rape and the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences (POCSO) Act to make the country a better place for girls and women.

"One thing, we would like to remark. POCSO Act is being misused in cases of marital discords and matters pertaining to consensual relationships between adolescents. We should spread awareness in boys and men about the legal provisions," the bench remarked.

The apex court adjourned the PIL to December 2 and noted that some states and union territories had not filed a response in the matter. The court had earlier issued notices to the Centre, the Union ministries of education and information & broadcasting and the Central Board of Film Certification (CBFC) on the plea filed by senior advocate Aabad Harshad Ponda.

Petitioner Ponda said there is need to inform people about the laws regarding rape and the change in such laws after the Nirbhaya case. The plea seeks several measures, including directing the education ministry to ask all educational institutions providing free and compulsory education to children aged up to 14 years to incorporate the penal provisions regarding offences against women and children.

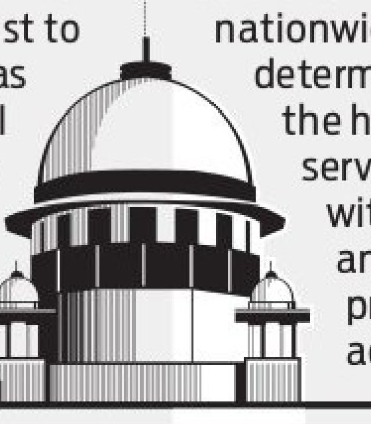
Ponda argued that laws must be made accessible and understandable to the public, especially the youth. He stated in his PIL that preventive steps through education and awareness are the need of the hour. "The challenge is not merely punishing offenders, but ensuring that such crimes are not committed in the first place," the petition said. "Endeavours are required to change the mindset of the boys in this country, an exercise that must start at the level of school," it stated.

The subject of moral training has to be included to ensure awareness about sexual equality, the rights of women and girls and their freedom to live with dignity, the petition added.

ALSO IN TOP COURT

NHAI verdict review plea to be heard

The SC has agreed to hear in open court a plea of the NHAI seeking review of its verdict, which ruled that its 2019 decision for the grant of compensation with interest to farmers whose land was acquired under the NHAI Act would apply retrospectively. A bench of Justices Surya Kant and Ujjal Bhuyan issued notice on the matter.



Ruling on seniority criteria reserved

The Supreme Court's five-judge Constitution bench, headed by Chief Justice B R Gavai, on Tuesday reserved its verdict on a uniform, nationwide criteria for determining seniority in the higher judicial services cadre to deal with the issue of slow and uneven career progression of judges across the country.

SC likely to hear AI pilot father's plea on Nov 7

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

THE Supreme Court is scheduled to hear on November 7 the writ petitions filed by Pushkaraj Sabharwal, the father of late Captain Sumeet Sabharwal who served as the pilot-in-command of the Air India flight that crashed in Ahmedabad, and the Federation of Indian Pilots (FIP) seeking direction for the constitution of a panel for a judicially monitored probe into the accident.

According to the cause list, a two-judge bench, headed by Justice Surya Kant, is likely to hear the pleas.

This newspaper reported on October 16 that Pushkaraj and Federation of Indian Pilots had moved the apex court seeking direction for the constitution of a panel for a judicially monitored probe into the crash. A writ petition running into 267 pages was filed on October 10 in the Supreme Court against the Centre, DGCA and the Director General of the Aircraft Accident Investigation Bureau (AAIB).

NMC told to examine non-payment of stipend to PG students, interns

KAVITA BAJELI-DATT @ New Delhi

IN a significant move, the health ministry has directed the National Medical Commission (NMC) to examine the issue of non-payment of stipends by medical colleges and institutions to their interns and postgraduates.

The move came after the Supreme Court on October 28, slammed the NMC saying it is "dragging its feet without any serious concern" and urged it to "wake up from its slumber and take appropriate steps".

The direction came after RTI activist Dr KV Babu wrote to Union Health Secretary Punya Salila Srivastava on November 3, bringing to her attention the SC order and the NMC notification of July 11, which had asked medical colleges and institutions that were not paying stipends to share details of the payments, or face action.

Within hours after Dr Babu's letter, the health ministry wrote to NMC secretary Dr Raghav Langer, stating, "You are requested to examine the subject matter and take appropriate action at your end."

"The ministry promptly forwarded my communication to the Secretary NMC to examine the subject matter. I am hopeful that the matter will get top priority now," the ophthalmologist told this newspaper.

The NMC has been flip-flopping on this issue, leading to protests by medical students across the country. Various resident doctors' associations have also taken up this issue.

The July 11 public notice, issued by NMC secretary Langer, warned that non-compliance by medical colleges regarding the stipend issue will result in action against them.

This notification came days before NMC contradicted itself on the controversial issue. It had issued an advisory stating that the college should first handle complaints regarding stipends, then those regarding the university it is affiliated with, and finally those regarding the state.

The SC has come down heavily on the NMC for failing to ensure that medical interns are paid stipends. It termed the lapse "deeply concerning" and "unjustified," given the long hours worked by interns and postgraduates.

Lapse 'deeply concerning, unjustified', said SC

The Supreme Court has come down heavily on the NMC for failing to ensure that medical interns are paid stipends. It termed the lapse "deeply concerning" and "unjustified", given the long hours worked by young interns and postgraduates.

Eastern Command gears up for major tri-service exercise of new formations

MAYANK SINGH @ New Delhi

AS India intensifies its drive toward integrated tri-service operations, the Eastern Command is set to host a major joint exercise named Poorvi Prachand Prahar from November 11 to 15 at Mechuka, about 30 km from the Line of Actual Control (LAC) in Arunachal Pradesh. The exercise will mark the maiden deployment of newly raised Indian Army formations, the Bhairav Battalion, Ashni Platoon of Infantry, and Divyastra Artillery Batteries, which reflect the ongoing modernisation and reorganisation push within the force.

These combat units are being raised under a "Save and Raise" model, incurring no additional cost to the state exchequer. Defence spokesperson Lt Col Mahendra Rawat said the exercise aims to validate multi-domain integration across land, air, and maritime theatres, refining interoperability and command structures for future joint missions. "It will test revised tactics, techniques, and procedures to enhance combat agility and adaptability under high-altitude conditions," he added.

One of the key highlights will be the coordinated employment of Special Forces, unmanned platforms, precision systems, and networked operations centres, which is a first-of-its-kind high-altitude validation of India's evolving warfighting doctrine. The Army has already operationalised five of its 25 Bhairav Light Combat Battalions, designed for lean, high-impact operations along India's borders with China and Pakistan. Simultaneously, each infantry unit now includes an Ashni Platoon, equipped with drones for intelligence, surveillance, reconnaissance (ISR) and loitering munitions.

Poorvi Prachand Prahar follows the successful Ex Bhala Prahar (2023) and Ex Poorvi Prahar (2024), which marks yet another milestone in India's tri-service integration efforts. It coincides with Exercise Trishul in the Western Sector, scheduled to culminate on November 13, and follows Exercise Vidyut Vidhhwans held in October.

In strategic terms, the Eastern Sector remains vital to India's defence posture. The Line of Actual Control spans three sectors namely Western (Ladakh), Central (Himachal, Uttarakhand), and Eastern (Sikkim, Arunachal Pradesh). The Eastern Command oversees the 1,346 km stretch including Sikkim and Arunachal Pradesh, besides managing the borders with Myanmar and Bangladesh.

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LAWS TARGETED FOR CHANGE

- Digital Personal Data Protection Act, 2023
- Indecent Representation of Women Act, 1986
- POCSO Act, 2012

ALSO SUGGESTED

- Longer user data retention
- Stronger protections for victims' anonymity

NCW SEEKS REVIEW OF CYBER LAWS TO SHIELD WOMEN

KAVITA BAJELI-DATT @ New Delhi

THE National Commission for Women (NCW) has recommended a review of existing cyber laws and has sought stricter laws to protect women from cyber bullying and harassment.

The Commission has proposed harsher penalties for cybercrimes against women and children, penal action for threats to share private and obscene content, a mandatory victim compensation fund and the appointment of district-level psychologists and forensic experts.

In this regard, NCW has submitted its comprehensive report, which includes changes in IT Rules, 2021, Digital Personal Data Protection Act, 2023, Indecent Representation of Women Act, 1986, the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences (POCSO) Act, 2012, Bhartiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 and others, to the Union Ministries of Law and Justice, Electronics and Information Technology, Women and Child Development, and Home Affairs.

The Commission also recommended protecting the complainant's identity in cyber offences, including cyberbullying, trolling, deepfakes, and privacy violations, and requiring intermediaries to remove harmful content within 36 hours. These recommendations have been suggested to be brought under the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023.

The recommendations, which were the outcome of its year-long national consultation aimed at reviewing and reforming India's cyber legal framework through a gender-sensitive lens, have also suggested longer user data retention (360 days) and stronger protections for victims' anonymity.

The NCW said that the recommendatory report for law review 2024–25 represents one of the most comprehensive national reviews undertaken by the Commission to modernise legal protections for women in cyberspace.

"The report combines statutory review, stakeholder insights, and comparative global analysis to propose reforms that strengthen digital rights and privacy protections for women, promote platform accountability and transparency, enhance forensic and law enforcement capacities, and foster digital literacy and preventive awareness through education and community engagement," the NCW said.

Vijaya Rahatkar, Chairperson, NCW, said, "The digital world has opened infinite doors for women of learning, enterprise, and expression, but it has also given rise to new frontiers of threat and intimidation."

"It is our collective responsibility to ensure that technology becomes an instrument of empowerment, not exploitation. Through this report, NCW envisions a cyber-ecosystem where laws do not merely punish offenders, but protect dignity; where awareness replaces fear; and where every woman can step into the digital world without hesitation - confident, informed, and secure."

The Commission's recommendations span several major legislations and digital governance frameworks, including making it mandatory to account for the verification and inclusion of AI-manipulated imagery in rules, and introducing new provisions on gender-based harassment, platform transparency, AI audits, victim support, and cross-border content regulation.

The organisation has also suggested defining "sensitive personal data" and "gender-specific damage," to adopt stricter consent norms.

UTTAR PRADESH

CM Yogi Adityanath will hand over keys to allottees of 72 EWS flats on Wednesday. The flats have been constructed on land recovered from mafia leader Mukhtar Ansari's illegal possession in upscale Dalibagh area.

1 LEOPARD CAPTURED IN PUNE DIST, TO BE MOVED TO VANTARA

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	41	25	Mumbai	34	26
Bhopal	37	22	Panaji	34	27
Jaipur	38	24	Patna	38	23
Amritsar	33	18	Lucknow	38	21
Chennai	32	28	Port Blair	28	27
Kolkata	36	28	Imphal	29	17
Srinagar	21	07	Chandigarh	34	18

DECODE BIHAR POLL DECIDE

IT'S A WRAP

1ST PHASE OF POLLS TO BE HELD ON THURSDAY | REMAINING 122 SEATS TO VOTE ON NOVEMBER 11 | RESULTS ON NOVEMBER 14

SEAT COMPOSITION

- **243** total seats: 203 General, 38 SC, 2 ST
- **1,314** candidates in 1st phase

MAIN CONTENDERS

- **NDA**: BJP, JD(U), LJP (RV), HAM, RLM
- **INDIA bloc**: RJD, Congress, CPI(ML), VIP, CPI, CPI(M), Indian Inclusive Party (IIP)

PAST RESULTS (2020): 125 seats NDA; 110 seats Grand Alliance

CAMPAIGN THEMES
INDIA BLOC: FIGHT FOR CHANGE
NDA: PREVENT RETURN OF JUNGLE RAJ

Star campaigners: PM Narendra Modi, CM Nitish Kumar, HM Amit Shah, UP CM Yogi Adityanath, Congress chief Mallikarjun Kharge and LoP Rahul Gandhi

FIR lodged against Lalan over 'some leaders' remark

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Patna

AN FIR has been filed against Union minister and senior Janata Dal (United) leader Rajiv Ranjan Singh, alias Lalan Singh, at the behest of the Election Commission of India (ECI) after a video in which Singh appears to instruct supporters in the Mokama area to prevent "some leaders" from leaving their houses on polling day went viral on social media.

In the viral video, Singh is purportedly heard saying, "Some leaders should not be allowed to leave their homes on the day of elections. If they plead too much, take them with you, and after voting, bring them back home and put them to bed. Take charge now. There is no time left for elections."

Responding to the filing of an FIR against Lalan Singh, JD (U) spokesman Neeraj Kumar alleged the video had been "distorted" for political purposes, insisting Singh's remarks were taken out of context. On the other hand, RJD MP Manoj Jha contrasted the entire episode with the NDA's 'jungle raj' rhetoric, asking the Prime Minister what sort of "jungle raj" existed when a cabinet colleague was alleged to be inciting such tactics.

RJD also shared the video clip and accused Singh of "running a bulldozer over the Election Commission's chest. Lalan Singh represents the Munger Lok Sabha constituency, of which the Mokama assembly constitutesa part. The Mokama assembly constituency is going to the polls in the first phase of the assembly election on Thursday.

- FATE OF TWO DEPUTY CMs AND TEJASHWI WILL BE SEALED
- BATTLE BETWEEN NDA & INDIA BLOC WITH PK AS X-FACTOR

121 seats. 18 dists. Stage set for 1st phase of polls

RAMASHANKAR @ Patna

THE high-octane campaign for the first phase of the Bihar elections ended on Tuesday as several heavyweights, including deputy CMs Samrat Choudhary and Vijay Kumar Sinha as well as INDIA bloc's chief ministerial candidate Tejashwi Prasad Yadav, are in the fray.

In the first phase, 121 constituencies spread across 18 districts will go to polls on Thursday. Voting for the remaining 122 seats will be held on November 11 and results declared on November 14. Of the 243 assembly constituencies, 203 are General seats, 38 are reserved for SCs and two for STs. The electoral battle will be mainly between the NDA and INDIA bloc but poll strategist-turned-politician Prashant Kishor's JSP is expected to be 'X' factor, making the contest between two alliances more intense. Union minister and BJP's Bihar poll in-charge Dharmendra Pradhan, however, said the contest would be between NDA and the Opposition alliance.

The INDIA bloc comprises RJD, Congress, CPI (ML), VIP, CPI, CPI(M) and the Indian Inclusive Party (IIP) floated by former Congress leader Indrajeet Prasad Gupta in 2023. The NDA in Bihar comprises BJP, JD(U), LJP (RV), HAM and RLM. In the 2020 elections, the NDA won 125 seats and the opposition Grand Alliance 110.

As many as 1,314 candidates are in the fray for the first phase. Key issues, such as unemployment, migration, corruption, inflation, floods, substandard education and lack of medical facilities, were raised during campaign. While the INDIA bloc described the election as a fight for a change, NDA said people would vote to prevent return of 'jungle raj'.

Other leaders contesting in this phase include Tejashwi's estranged brother Tej Pratap Yadav from Mahua and state JD (U) president Umesh Kushwaha. Popular faces from the entertainment industry are in the fray — Bhojpuri actor Khesari Lal Yadav contesting on RJD ticket from Chhapra and folk singer Maithili Thakur on BJP ticket from Alinagar.

Top leaders from NDA and INDIA bloc held rallies across the state for the first phase. They included PM Narendra Modi, Bihar Nitish Kumar, Home Minister Amit Shah, UP CM Yogi Adityanath, Congress president Mallikarjun Kharge and LoP Rahul Gandhi.

NDA will win 160 seats & form govt, says Shah

₹30K to women in January: Tejashwi

RJD leader Tejashwi Prasad Yadav on Tuesday said the INDIA bloc would provide the entire annual financial aid of ₹30,000 to women in January next year if they are voted to power in Bihar. Tejashwi made the announcement two days before the first phase of voting in the state. His announcement is seen as his bid to counter the NDA's 'Mukhyamantri Mahila Rojgar Yojana', as part of which ₹10,000 has been transferred into accounts of 1.21 crore women to start their own businesses.

RAMASHANKAR @ Patna

UNION Home Minister and senior BJP leader Amit Shah on Tuesday expressed confidence that the NDA will secure a decisive victory in the Bihar Assembly elections, asserting that the ruling alliance will win "more than 160 seats" and form the next government under Chief Minister Nitish Kumar.

He dared Congress leader Rahul Gandhi to organise as many as yatras as he can to protect infiltrators, adding that BJP would drive out all of illegal immigrants.

Addressing a rally in Bettiah in West Champaran, Shah took a jibe at Lalu Prasad-led RJD, saying they raised slogans like 'Shahabuddin Amar Rahe' and dream of 'jungle raj', but Bihar will not allow it.

He said, "Champaran is witness to how Bihar's land remained blood-soaked during RJD's 'jungle raj'. How can people forgive these people for unleashing a reign of terror across the state during Lalu and Rabri Devi's regime." He said, "NDA will win 160 seats in Bihar, form the government with two-thirds majority,"

Earlier in the day, at a rally in adjoining Motihari under East Champaran district, Shah fired 'dynastic politics' salvo at Congress and RJD, saying that Sonia Gandhi wanted her son to be Prime Minister and Lalu Prasad Yadav and Rabri Devi wished their son Tejashwi Yadav to be chief minister.

"But there is no vacancy on the posts as Narendra Modi is holding the post of PM and Nitish Kumar is serving as CM," he said, in a veiled attack on RJD-Congress.

Shah also urged voters to press EVM buttons with 'Lotus' (BJP's election symbol) to prevent the return of 'jungle raj' in Bihar. He alleged that RJD rule ruined the state and pushed it back so far development is concerned.

ONLY 10% CONTROLLING ARMY, 90% LEFT OUT, SAYS RAHUL

RAMASHANKAR @ Patna

LEADER of Opposition in Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi on Tuesday stirred up a controversy after he claimed that the Indian Army was being controlled by only 10% of the country's population (referring to so-called Upper Castes). Addressing a rally in Bihar's Aurangabad district, known as 'Chittaurgarh of Bihar' for being dominated by people from the Rajput community, Rahul said that only 10% of the country's population get opportunities in the corporate sector, bureaucracy and judiciary, and even the army is in 'their' control.

On the contrary, the Congress MP contended that the remaining 90% of Dalits, backward classes, scheduled castes and other minorities were nowhere to be seen in the elite jobs. "That is why I have been asking for a caste census across the country to deliver justice and equality among all the classes," he told the gathering.

His remark assumed significance as a large number of youths from Aurangabad and adjoining districts of Magadh and Shahabad regions are employed in the Indian Army. There are villages in the region from which at least one member of the family is serving in the Indian Army.

Calling for a nationwide caste census, Rahul said that a national caste count would identify 90% of Indians sitting 'outside the system' and take steps to protect their constitutional rights, which the NDA did not want.

"If 90% of people don't have participatory rights, the Constitution can not be protected," he added. This is the first time that Rahul has made a controversial statement against the Indian Army in the recent past. Bihar Congress president Rajesh Ram is seeking his re-election from Aurangabad's Kutumba. Addressing a rally in Gaya, Rahul lashed out at the NDA government, accusing it of using social media to divert young minds from real issues like unemployment.

RANCHI DIARY

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Land registration fee for Olympians exempted

Jharkhand government has exempted registration fee for the pieces of land allotted to Olympian hockey players Salima Tete and Nikki Pradhan in Ranchi. The state housing board had allotted 3,750 sq ft plots to them at Harmu Residential Colony. CM Hemant Soren had in January handed over the papers for the plots in Ranchi to the Olympians. They were honoured by the Soren government for bringing glory to the state and the country. Fulfilling a long-standing promise, the state recognised the contributions of the two players and made their dream of owning a home in Ranchi a reality.

HC refuses to release minister's passport

The Calcutta High Court has refused to release Jharkhand Health Minister Irfan Ansari's passport after the West Bengal government contended that he may not return to India. Ansari's passport has been deposited with the court since September 25, 2024 though he was granted conditional bail in case of ₹50 lakh cash seizure. Ansari had moved the Calcutta HC to seek temporary release of his passport from November 1 to 15 so that he could attend the World Travel Market event in London from November 4 to 6. He had even attached the Jharkhand government's approval for the visit.

Blood donation camp on state's silver jubilee

A statewide blood donation camp will be launched from November 12 to 28 to mark the silver jubilee of the Jharkhand Foundation Day. The state government has directed officials to create awareness in both urban and rural areas to ensure success of the campaign. "Blood donation must be transformed into a mass movement. Social media and local publicity channels should be used to the maximum extent," Chief Minister Hemant Soren said. All the blood centres have been directed to update data on e-RaktKosh portal to fill the staffing gap at the earliest. Jharkhand was founded by the Bihar Reorganisation Act on November 15, 2000.

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8 killed, 14 injured in train collision near Bilaspur

EJAZ KAISER @ Raipur

AT least eight passengers, including a loco pilot, were killed and 14 injured when a passenger train collided with the rear end of a stationary goods train near Bilaspur in Chhattisgarh under the South-East Central Railway (SECR) zone on Tuesday.

According to officials, the Mainline Electric Multiple Unit (MEMU) train from Gevra Road in Korba was proceeding to Raigarh via Bilaspur when it dashed into the guard's compartment of the freight train on the same track at around 4 pm.

"Eight bodies have been recovered so far. A couple of passengers were still stuck inside a damaged coach. The officials and authorities from Railways and Bilaspur district swiftly got engaged in extensive rescue operations. Around 14 who sustained injuries have been admitted to different hospitals," Sanjay Agrawal, Bilaspur collector, said. (SECR).

The loco pilot, Vidhya Raj, was among the deceased. Sources told this newspaper that the number of the injured is likely to rise as the rescue operation continues. The worst affected coaches of the Korba passenger train were the first two, including the front women's reserved bogie that suffered the maximum damage. Gas cutters were used to extricate bodies trapped in the mangled coach.

The railways issued emergency helpline numbers and also declared immediate ex-gratia relief to the victims. Compensation of ₹10 lakh to the next of kin of the deceased ₹5 lakh for the seriously injured victims were announced.

Digital hub: C'garh TechStart to connect startups with investors

EJAZ KAISER @ Raipur

THE Chhattisgarh government resolutely 'showcased its growing innovation economy' as it hosted "Chhattisgarh TechStart 2025", a notable initiative designed to connect the future of innovations and investments with startups and technology enablers. The event, held in Nava Raipur, sought to strengthen the state's profile as a preferred destination for digital industries, tech-enabled services, and innovation-driven enterprises. The occasion set the stage for Chhattisgarh to emerge as a national hub for IT, information technology enabled services, and technology investments.

"The state is entering a new era of growth — one driven by innovation. Through Chhattisgarh TechStart, we aim to build a bridge between ideas and investments, creating opportunities that empower our youth and accelerate economic transformation, said Vishnu Deo Sai, Chhattisgarh CM.

Highlighting the momentum of industrial progress, CM Sai revealed that Chhattisgarh has received investment proposals worth ₹7.5 lakh crore in the past ten months, a reflection of the growing investor confidence in the state.

The Industrial Development Policy 2024–30, he noted, is designed to be investor-friendly and pro-development, fostering both industrial expansion and entrepreneurship across emerging sectors.

Over 250 investors, incubators, and innovators from across India participated, marking one of the state's largest innovation networking events to date. The event brought together senior officials from Software Technology Parks of India (STPI) and MeitY Startup Hub with discussions centering on the collaboration opportunities, digital transformation strategies, and investment partnerships in the IT and ITeS domains.

Chhattisgarh is emerging as a magnet for next-generation investments — including India's first AI Data Centre Park and the state's first Semiconductor Manufacturing Unit, both coming up in Nava Raipur.

33% crop loss as Gujarat fields drown in despair

DILIP SINGH KSHATRIYA
@ Ahmedabad

UNSEASONAL rain has once again battered Gujarat's farmlands, leaving over 17 lakh farmers across 16,000 villages reeling under heavy crop loss. A survey reveals that 33% or more damage has been caused to over 30 lakh hectares of Kharif crop, with total losses pegged at ₹1,574 crore.

The Saurashtra zone alone accounts for the lion's share of over ₹1,218 crore, prompting the state government to prepare a fresh relief package, expected to be announced by Chief Minister Bhupendra Patel this week.

The relentless downpour at the end of October, measuring 88.67 mm, has caused widespread crop devastation across the state's 71 lakh hectares of cultivated land.

Responding to farmer representations, the state government swiftly ordered a damage assessment survey, with the agriculture department deploying teams across regions for relief measures.

The preliminary report paints a grim picture: 33% or more loss in 30.92 lakh hectares, translating to an estimated ₹1,574.48 crore hit to Gujarat's farming economy.

According to officials, 70% of the surveyed area has been preliminarily verified, and Chief Minister Bhupendra Patel is likely to announce a comprehensive relief package on Tuesday or Wednesday.

The move comes after Patel personally directed state department officials to complete damage reports by this week, assuring farmers that "no one will be left without help."

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e-Tender Notice No. DRM/ Works/SC/139- 160/2025/OT, Dt: 31.10.2025

PUB/1382

For and on behalf of President of India, the undersigned invites e-tender for the following works up to 14.00 hours on dt: 28.11.2025.

S.No.: 01 e-Tender No.: 139_CR_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** SC-KZJ Section: DLS/KZJ Renovation of depot stores and construction of new office building in Diesel stores depot. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 2,15,19,694/- **EMD (₹):** 2,57,600/- **Completion period in Months:** 09 **Maintenance period in Months:** 36

S.No.: 02 e-Tender No.: 140_N_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** KZJ - BPQ Section: Proposed replacement of existing 5x12.20m steel girders with PSC slabs for BR No.94 (UP & DN) at Km. 296/27-25 between PDPL-KYOP stations. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 6,97,33,782/- **EMD (₹):** 4,98,700/- **Completion period in Months:** 09 **Maintenance period in Months:** 36

S.No.: 03 e-Tender No.: 141_NW_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** VKB-PRLI section: CTR (P) including recoupment and increasing of ballast cushion to 30 cm for a length of 8.482 Kms and TRR (P) for a length of 23.47 Kms and Through Fitting Renewal of existing fittings with new fitting for a length of of 9.148 Kms under DEN/North-West/SC section. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 2,75,98,467/- **EMD (₹):** 2,88,000/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

S.No.: 04 e-Tender No.: 142_NW_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** BIDR-GR Section: Proposed safety related track works and miscellaneous track works (Other than safety related works) from Km: 0.00 to 97.70 on SL line between KHNP-TJSP stations in SSE/P.Way/HMBD section under ADEN/BIDR Sub division. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 1,16,29,931/- **EMD (₹):** 2,08,200/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

S.No.: 05 e-Tender No.: 143_NW_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** VKB-PRLI Section: Proposed safety related track works and miscellaneous track works (Other than safety related track works) from Km: 64 to 129 on SL line between ZB-BHLK stations in SSE/P.Way/BIDR section under ADEN/BIDR Sub division. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 1,38,52,996/- **EMD (₹):** 2,19,300/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

S.No.: 06 e-Tender No.: 144_NW_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** VKB-PRLI Section: Proposed safety related track works and miscellaneous track works (Other than safety related works) from Km: 129 to 200 on SL line between VKB-PRLI stations in SSE/P.Way/UDGR section under ADEN/BIDR Sub division. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 1,13,85,841/- **EMD (₹):** 2,07,000/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

S.No.: 07 e-Tender No.: 145_NW_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** VKB-PRLI Section: Proposed safety related track works and miscellaneous track works (Other than safety related works) from Km: 200.920 to 269.200 on SL lines between LTRR-PRLI stations in SSE/P.Way/PRLI section under ADEN/BIDR Sub division. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 1,34,39,165/- **EMD (₹):** 2,17,200/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

S.No.: 08 e-Tender No.: 146_NW_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** PDPL-NZB Section: Proposed safety related track works and miscellaneous track works (Other than safety related works) from Km: 0 to 83 on SL line between PDPL-LPJL stations in SSE/P.Way/KRMR section under ADEN/KRMR Sub division. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 1,36,53,244/- **EMD (₹):** 2,18,300/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

S.No.: 09 e-Tender No.: 147_NW_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** PDPL-NZB Section: Proposed safety related track works and miscellaneous track works (Other than safety related works) from Km: 83 to 178 on SL line between LPJL -NZB stations in SSE/P.Way/ARMU section under ADEN/KRMR Sub division. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 1,37,05,986/- **EMD (₹):** 2,18,600/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

S.No.: 10 e-Tender No.: 148_CR_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** SC-KZJ Section: Proposed safety related track works and miscellaneous track works (Other than safety related track works) from Km: 190 to 203 on UP, DN & Third line and at km: 11 to 22 on SL line between SNF to MLY stations in SSE/P.Way/SC section under ADEN/E/SC Sub division. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 1,82,05,027/-**EMD (₹):** 2,41,100/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

S.No.: 11 e-Tender No.: 149_CR_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** SC-KZJ Section: Proposed safety related track works and miscellaneous track works (Other than safety related works) from Km: 203 to 252.60 on UP, DN and Quadruple lines between MLY - WP stations in SSE /P.Way/GT section under ADEN/E/SC Sub division. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 1,17,28,254/-**EMD (₹):** 2,08,700/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

S.No.: 12 e-Tender No.: 150_CR_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** SC-KZJ Section: Proposed safety related track works and miscellaneous track works (Other than safety related works) from Km: 252.60 to 300 on UP, DN lines between WP - GNP stations in SSE/P.Way/Aler section under ADEN/N/KZJ Sub division. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 1,04,24,378/- **EMD (₹):** 2,02,200/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

S.No.: 13 e-Tender No.: 151_CR_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** SC-KZJ Section: Proposed safety related track works and miscellaneous track works (Other than safety related track works) from Km: 300 to 324 on UP & DN lines between GNP-KZJ stations in SSE/P.Way/ CR/KZJ section under ADEN/N/KZJ Sub division. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 1,40,20,434/- **EMD (₹):** 2,20,100/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

S.No.: 14 e-Tender No.: 152_CR_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** SC-KZJ Section: Proposed safety related track works and miscellaneous track works (Other than safety related track works) from Km: 174.65 to 190 on UP & DN lines and at km: 0.00 to 11 on double line between SNF to MLY stations in SSE/P.Way/SNF section under ADEN/E/SC sub division. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 1,65,05,625/- **EMD (₹):** 2,32,600/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

S.No.: 15 e-Tender No.: 153_S_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** DKJ-MUGR Section: Proposed safety related track works and miscellaneous Track works (Other than safety related track works) from Km: 2.000 to 48.000 on Single line between DKJ-BDCR stations in SSE/P.Way/KRA section under ADEN/DKJ Sub division. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 78,33,399/- **EMD (₹):** 1,56,700/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

S.No.: 16 e-Tender No.: 154_S_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** DKJ-MUGR & BDCR-STPL Sections: Proposed safety related track works and miscellaneous Track works (Other than safety related track works) from Km: 48.000 to 104.400 on Single line between BTPD-MUGR stations and from Km: 2.000 to 54.000 on single line between BDCR-JVRB in SSE/P.Way/BDCR section under ADEN/DKJ Sub division. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 1,76,25,966/- **EMD (₹):** 2,38,200/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

S.No.: 17 e-Tender No.: 155_S_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** KZJ-KI Section: Proposed safety related track works and miscellaneous Track works (Other than safety related track works) from Km: 368.800 to 407.180 on UP & DN and UD lines between WL-NKD stations in SSE/P.Way/WL section under ADEN/S/KZJ Sub division. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 2,35,47,676/- **EMD (₹):** 2,67,800/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

S.No.: 18 e-Tender No.: 156_S_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** KZJ-KI Section: Proposed safety related track works and miscellaneous Track works (Other than safety related track works) from Km: 407.180 to 458.000 on UP & DN and UD lines between NKD-GLA stations in SSE/P.Way/MABD section under ADEN/S/KZJ Sub division. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 1,07,70,041/- **EMD (₹):** 2,03,900/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

S.No.: 19 e-Tender No.: 157_S_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** KZJ-KI Section: Proposed safety related track works and miscellaneous Track works (Other than safety related track works) from Km: 458.000 to 488.000 on UP & DN and UD lines between GLA-PNDP stations in SSE/P.Way/DKJ section under ADEN/DKJ Sub division. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 78,33,789/- **EMD (₹):** 1,56,700/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

S.No.: 20 e-Tender No.: 158_S_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** KZJ-KI Section: Proposed safety related track works and miscellaneous Track works (Other than safety related track works) from Km: 488.000 to 533.200 on UP & DN and UD lines between KMT-TNGM stations in SSE/P.Way/MDR section under ADEN/MDR Sub division. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 97,09,655/- **EMD (₹):** 1,94,200/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

S.No.: 21 e-Tender No.: 159_S_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** KZJ-KI Section: Proposed safety related track works and miscellaneous Track works (Other than safety related track works) from Km: 533.200 to 568.000 on UP & DN and UD lines between MDR-KI stations in SSE/P.Way/KI section under ADEN/MDR Sub division. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 1,38,99,846/- **EMD (₹):** 2,19,500/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

S.No.: 22 e-Tender No.: 160_S_SC_25_OT **Name of the work:** MTMI-JNPD Section: Proposed safety related track works and miscellaneous Track works (Other than safety related track works) from Km: 2.867 to 77.400 on Single line between MTMI-JNPD stations in SSE/P.Way/MTMP section under ADEN/MDR Sub division. **Approx. Tender Value in (₹):** 1,24,69,704/- **EMD (₹):** 2,12,400/- **Completion period in Months:** 12 **Maintenance period in Months:** 45(Days)

1. Tenderers should participate through e-tendering only and no manual offers may be considered.
2. Tender conditions / other particulars are available in the Tender documents on IREPS website at **ireps.gov.in** which can be downloaded, can be participated and can view any modifications if any.
3. All the prospective tenderers are requested to remit EMD through online payments / BG only.
4. The tender notice is also displayed in the Notice Board located in the office of Sr.DEN/Co-ordination, Secunderabad Division, South Central Railway, and Secunderabad which can be seen on all working days.
5. The Railway reserves the right to cancel the tender without assigning any reason thereto.
6. All the prospective tenderers are advised to get GSTIN identification Nos. and submit along with their offer.

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I **B. S. SHAM SUNDER**, Res: No. 91(33), 23rd Cross, 12th B Main, Jayanagar 3rd Block East, Bangalore - 560011 do hereby inform to the General Public that on 01-10-2025, while I was travelling near Tilak Nagar, I have lost the document of Original Sale Deed, Vide Doc. No. 1107/2011 Dt: 31-01-2011 Site bearing Plot No. 13 situated at "VARUNA PROPERTIES, PHASE - III", in CHENNATHUR Village Sy. No. 649/1C in the Revenue district of Krishnagiri, Taluk of Hosur.

I had lodged Police Complaint - lost Report No.1845334/2025. If anyone finds the said original Sale Deed, Plz handover the same to the above said address or contact me on **9844064920 / 9844002788**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are informed that My Client **KANDHAMARAN KANNAN,** S/o B M Kannan, Aged about 49 years, R/at No. 612/1, 16th Cross, Vikram Nagar South, ISRO Layout, JP Nagar, Bengaluru, Karnataka, 560078 having UIDAI No XXXXXXXX3648, have lost/misplaced the Original Registered Sale Deed dated 01.02.1991 vide Document No 5964/1990-1991 Book No 1, Volume No 246 at pages No 55-60 registered at the office of the Sub Registrar Kengeri, while getting the Xerox of the same on 30.10.2025 at Sri Enterprises Xerox Ideal Homes Rajarajeshwari Nagar. My client has also reported loss of the said document in the online portal of Karnataka State Police vide Lost Report No. 1883184/2025 on 04.11.2025. Any person/s in possession of the aforesaid document shall return the same to the undersigned.

Sd/- ROHIT K REDDY., Advocate,
No.1509, G-Floor, 5th Stage BEML Layout, R.R. Nagar, Bangalore -560098. Mob: 9742028999,
Email: rohitreddik@gmail.com
Date : 04.11.2025 **Place :** Bengaluru

PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE TO GENERAL PUBLIC FOR LOSS OF ORIGINAL SALE DEED .

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ORIGINAL SALE DEED DATED: 19/02/1980, EXECUTED BETWEEN BHARATH ELECTRONICS EMPLOYEES CO-OP HOUSE BUILDING SOCIETY LTD AND V.VASU NAIR , BEARING DOC NO: No.8141/1979-80, REGISTERED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SUB REGISTRAR, BANGALORE NORTH TALUK, BANGALORE AND ALSO THE ORIGINAL KHATHA ASSESSMENT AND KHATHA CERTIFICATE BOTH DATED: 26/11/10 HAS BEEN MISPLACED/ LOST. POLICE COMPLAINT UNDER E- LOST ARTICLE REPORT, BENGALURU CITY POLICE, BEARING NO: 1815370/2025, 22/09/25 IS LODGED.

SCHEDULE

ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL OF THE PROPERTY BEARING NO. 388 IN THE LAYOUT PLAN APPROVED BY BDA, IN Sy. Nos. 1 PORTION 2 TO 14, 21 TO 25, SITUATED IN NARASIPURA VILLAGE, YELAHANKA HOBLI, BANGALORE NORTH TALUK, BANGALORE, MEASURING 40' x 60'.6" Sq. ft, IN ALL 268.80 SQ.YARDS / 224.28 SQ. METERS.

IT IS HEREBY INFORMED THAT IF ANY PERSON FINDING THE SAME MAY KINDLY CONTACT THE UNDERSIGNED WITHIN 15 DAYS OF THIS NOTICE. ALL THE PERSONS ARE HEREBY INFORMED NOT TO CARRY ON ANY KIND OF TRANSACTION/S WITH ANYONE ON THE BASIS OF THE SAID DOCUMENT. IF ANYONE IS DOING SO WILL BE DOING SO AT THEIR OWN RISK , COST AND CONSEQUNCES.

SMT. C. JANAKI, W/o. LATE. V.VASU NAIR, R/A. No. 388, 12th CROSS, 5TH MAIN 3rd BLOCK, BEL LAYOUT, VIDYARANYAPURA, BENGALURU-560097.

IN THE COURT OF THE ADDL. CITY CIVIL AND SESSION JUDGE COMMERCIAL (CCH-85) AT BANGALORE
Com. O.S/637/2025

BETWEEN: GENETIX BIOTECH ASIA LIMITED ... PLAINTIFF

AND: SHANKARANARAYANA LIFE SCIENCE LLP... RESPONDENT

NOTICE TO RESPONDENT

Genetrix Biotech Asia Limited, (formerly known as Genetrix Biotech Asia Limited), Through its Authorized Representative House No. 71/1, First Floor, Shivaji Marg, Najafgarh Road, Delhi-110015 **...PLAINTIFF**

AND: Shankar Narayana Life Sciences LLP, No. 144/C-1. Kirloskar Road, Bommassandra Industrial Area, Hebbagodi, Bangalore, Karnataka 560100. Also, at C/o Pradlabs, # 360, Sri Sai Padma Arcade, Bangalore-560055 ... **DEFENDANT**

WHEREAS THE PLAINTIFF IN THE ABOVE PLAINT HAS FILED UNDER ORDER VII RULE 1 R/W SECTION 26 OF CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE 1908 R/W COMMERCIAL COURTS ACT 2015.

To make the payment of with Rs. 19,43,675/-with interest 18% You are hereby summonsed to appear in person before this Hon'ble Commercial court at Bengaluru.

Take notice i.e., default appearance on **25-11-2025** the petition will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my and seal of this Hon'ble Court on 27-10-2025

By order of the court, Senior Sheristedar, Commercial Court Unit, City Civil Court, Bangalore.

Advocate for Plaintiff: **MNDR LEGAL**
B-102, Spectra Raintree Apts, St. Thomas Town, Bangalore-560 084. Ph 8142132663,
Email.mndr.legal@gmail.com

PUBLIC NOTICE

One of our Clients intend to purchase all that piece and parcel of **Residential Apartment** morefully described in the 'Schedule' hereunder and hereinafter referred as **'Schedule Property'** belonging to **Mr. Subrato Dey @ Subrato Arunchandra Dey** and **Mrs. Shilpi Dey @ Shilpi Subrato Dey** ["Owners"].

Any person or persons, entities including any bank/ societies/ financial institutions, companies, asserting/ having any claim, demand, right, title or interest of any kind over the Schedule Property or any part thereof, in any manner whatsoever whether by way of sale, transfer, assignment, exchange, mortgage, charge, encumbrance, loan, deposit of title deeds, tenancy, sub-tenancy, let, lease, license, inheritance, succession, share, gift, devise, lien, maintenance, bequest, easement, trust, covenant, possession, occupation, family arrangement/settlement, partition, contracts/ agreements, partnership, litigation, Decree, Court Order, Award of any Court of Law, Tribunal, Authority and/or any other fora, acquisition, agreement/s for sale, partnership, other contracts/ agreements or otherwise of any nature whatsoever or having any claim in the Schedule Property or any documents relating thereto or against the Owners or objecting to sale or any transactions by the Owners, should write to the undersigned **within ten (10) days** from the date of this Public Notice, together with documentary proof thereof, failing which, the claim or claims, if any, of such person or person/s over the Schedule Property or any part thereof shall be considered to have been waived and/or abandoned and no such claims will be deemed to exist and our Clients shall proceed to purchase the Schedule Property, without any impediments and/or reference to such claim/s, demand/s, etc.

SCHEDULE
[SCHEDULE PROPERTY]

ALL THAT piece and parcel of **Residential Apartment** No.: F-0123, **RDPR e- Khata PID No.: 150300201400121405**, First Floor, 'F' Block, measuring 1,080 Square Feet of Super Built Up Area, together with **398.77 Square Feet** of Undivided Share of Land & **One (1) Top Covered Car Parking** Space Slot No. B-154, on the Basement/Stilt Level, including proportionate share in common areas, such as passages, lifts, staircases and other areas of common use and amenities of the Building constructed thereupon, in the **Building No. 19**, known as **'CEDAR'** at **'Brigade Orchards'**, presently within the jurisdiction of Bettakote Gram Panchayat, constructed on the Converted Land comprised in Survey Nos. 39, situated at Rayasandra Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District, duly converted vide Order bearing No. ALN (Dev)/SR/89 of 2003-04, dated 24th April 2004, issued by Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Rural District and butted and bounded, that is to say, as follows:

On the East by : Open Space;
On the West by : Apartment No. F-124;
On the North by : Apartment No. F-126; and
On the South by : Apartment No. G-131.

Through its Advocates
Partha Mandal, Founding Partner
UMESHA .R, Partner
CHUGH UNIVERSAL LEGAL
5th Floor, 'Phoenix Pinnacle' # 46, Ulsoor Road, Bangalore - 560 042. Phone:- +91 80 6761 6000

Date: 4-11-2025

PUBLIC NOTICE

Our client/s have negotiated to purchase the property described in the schedule below, from its present owner **Smt. PRATHIBHA SUBRAMANYA** W/o Sri. Subramanya Banavathi Anandarama, R/at No. 9/2, 9 th Main Road, 2nd Block, Banashankari 1st Stage, Bengaluru-560 050.

We are investigating her title, on behalf of our client/s. Objections to the proposed transaction and claims, if any, in relation to the schedule property, may be lodged with the undersigned in writing, with the supporting documents, **within Ten (10) days,** from the date of the publication of this notice, failing which, our client/s will proceed to conclude the sale transaction.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the immovable property being the residential vacant **site bearing BDA No. 427, BBMP No. 427, having E-PID No. 6041158405,** (carved out of Sy. Nos. 9, 10 & 11 of Vaddarapalya), situated at Banashankari 5th Stage, Vaddarapalya (BDA), Bengaluru, Ward No. 184 (Uttarahalli), Bengaluru South City Corporation, **measuring East to West 9.14 mtrs., North to South 12.19 mtrs., totally measuring about 111.41 sq.mtrs., or 1200 sq.ft**, and bounded as follows:

EAST BY : Site bearing No. 428
WEST BY : Site bearing No. 426
NORTH BY : Road
SOUTH BY : Site bearing No. 408

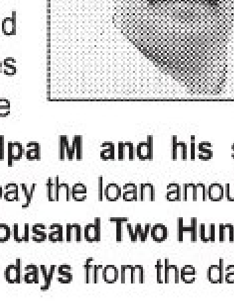
J. RANGA RAJAN, S.N. RAVEENDRA, H.T. RANGE GOWDA, Advocates
J.R. ASSOCIATES
No. 1/5, Jinka Plaza, 1st floor, 6th Cross, Gandhinagar,
Bengaluru - 560 009. Date: 04.11.2025

THE NEHRUNAGAR CO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED

No. 172, 1st Main Road, Seshadripuram, Bangalore – 560 020.
Ph: 080-23364376 E-Mail: info@nehrubank.com

POSSESSION NOTICE-IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 (Rule 9)



The under signed being the Authorized officer of The Nehrunagar Co-Operative Bank Limited, N0.172, 1st Main Road, Seshadripuram, Bangalore-560020, under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13(2) read with rule 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002 issued a demand notice dated 02-09-2023 to the borrower **Sri. Shivakumar.B.K and wife Smt. Shilpa M and his sons Sri.Hrithik S and Sri. Darshan S calling** upon to repay the loan amount of **Rs.50,71,271/-(Rupees Fifty Lakhs Seventy one Thousand Two Hundred and Seventy One only)** as on **08.08.2024 within 60 days** from the date of receipt of the notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the entire loan amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public general that the under signed has taken symbolic possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on them under section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 9 of the said rules.

The borrower in particular and the public in general here by cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of The Nehrunagar Co-Operative Bank Limited.

Borrower: Sri. Shivakumar. B.K S/o Late. Basavaraju, and wife Smt. Shilpa M and his sons Sri .Hrithik S and Sri. Darshan S Loan Account No. 201200000869. Demand Notice dated 13.09.2023 Under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002. **Total Amount Due: Rs.55,25,631/-(Rupees Fifty Five Lakhs Twenty Five Thousand Six Hundred Thirty One only) as on 04-11-2025.**

Description of property: All that piece and parcel of the Immovable property bearing Site No.75, Old.No.56, Municipal No.19, Formed in Sy.No.242, Situated at 1st Cross, Road Cholurpalya Extension, Kempapura Agrahara, Magadi road, Bangalore, now comes under the limits of BBMP, Bangalore, Old Ward No.33. BBMP new Ward No.123 – Vijayanagar. Measuring: East to West: 20 Feet and North to South: 31 Feet, totally measuring 620 Square Feets.
Bounded on: **East by :** Road. **West by :** Remaining Western portion of Site No.56. **North by :** Site No.57. **South by :** Road.

Place: Bengaluru
Date: 04-11-2025

Authorized Officer
THE NEHRUNAGAR CO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED

TAMIL NADU MEDICINAL PLANT FARMS & HERBAL MEDICINE CORPORATION LTD.,

Tampcol
(A Government of Tamil Nadu Undertaking)
Regd. Office: Anna Hospital Campus, Arumbakkam, Chennai-600 106
Phone: 044-26216696 E-mail: tampcolho@gmail.com

E-TENDER NOTICE Ref:1803/2006/Tam/Pur/OT/2025-26.

E-Tender are invited through two cover system from the eligible bidders for the supply of:

(*) E-Tender for the supply of Raw Drugs, packing materials, value above **Rs.20.00 lakh** (*) supply of Raw Drugs, packing materials.

Eligibility of the tenderer and other conditions are stipulated in the Bid document. Complete e-tenders documents can be viewed and downloaded at free of cost from Government tender website **"https://tntenders.gov.in/nicgep/app".** EMD to be paid & the bids to be submitted through e-tender portal only.

DIPR/5978/TENDER/2025 **GENERAL MANAGER**

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केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

(A Government of India Undertaking)

Ganganagar Branch
No.1/1, KHM Block,
Opp. Main Post Office, R T Nagar,
Bengaluru, Karnataka-560032.

DEMAND NOTICE [SECTION 13(2)] TO BORROWERS/ GUARANTORS/MORTGAGORS

NOTICE ISSUED UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **Canara Bank, Ganganagar Branch,** had issued Demand Notice under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Security Interest Act 2002 by Registered Post with Acknowledgment Due (RPAD) to the addresses furnished to the Bank as mentioned below. Since the notice has not been acknowledged and returned due to non-availability of addresses at the said addresses / due to evading of service of the notices sent by RPAD, notice could not be served. The contents of the said notice are mentioned herein below.

1. Name and Address of the Borrowers / Co-Borrowers/ Mortgagors /Guarantors: (1) Ms. Manjula H R (Borrower/Mortgagor/Partner), No.11, 7th Cross, 5th Main, Ganganagar, Bengaluru-560032. **(2) Ms. Sarala H R (Co-Borrower),** The Taj West End Race Course Road, Bengaluru-560001. **(3) Mr. Ravi.H.R (Guarantor),** # 1520, 21st Cross, 12th Main, B Block Sahakarnagar, Bengaluru-560032. **(4) M/s Designpreneur (Borrower),** Door No.11, Rajgruha Krishnappa Block, 5th Main, 7th Cross, Ganganagar Extension, Bengaluru-560032. **(5) Shreedhar Bellandur Rudrappa (Partner),** Flat No.5 4/1, 7th Cross, 5th Main, Krishnappa Block, Ganganagar, R T Nagar Post, Bengaluru-560032.

[Details of the credit facility/ies availed by the Borrower]

Sl. No	Nature of Loan/ Limit	Date of sanction (latest)	Sanctioned Limit	Liability With Interest As On Date	Rate of Interest
1	OSL-SYND NIVAS 04587740000127	06.06.2023	Rs. 55,00,000/-	Rs. 1773958.30	11.10%(Plus 2% Penal Interest)
2	MSME-OD/OCC 125005524036	29.05.2025	Rs. 1,00,000/-	Rs. 1,00,85,304.71	8.75%

Total Liability Amount: Rs. 1,18,59,263.01 (Rupees One Crore Eighteen Lakh Fifty Nine Thousand Two Hundred Sixty Three and Paise One Only) together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

NPA Date : 29.10.2025 **Demand Notice Dated : 31.10.2025**

Details of security assets :

Name of the title Holder : Ms. Manjula H R & Ms. Sarala H R

Schedule of the Property : All that piece and parcel of the property bearing site No 11(Old No 23), PID No 98-88-11, situated at 7th cross , 5th Main , Krishnappa Block, Ganganagar, Bangalore now coming under the limits of BBMP ward No 98, measuring East to West 30 ft and North to South 50 ft in all measuring 1500 sft and bounded on : East by : Property No.13, West by : Property No.9, North by : Property No.8, South by : Road.

You are here by called upon to pay **Canara Bank,** within a period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, the respective amount mentioned here above, failing which **Canara Bank** will take necessary action under the provisions of the said Act, against the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers and the Guarantors. The powers available to **Canara Bank** under the Act include (i) power to take possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers / Guarantors / Mortgagors including the rights to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realising secured assets and any transfer of secured assets by **Canara Bank** shall vest in the transferee rights in or in relation to, the secured asset transferred as if the transfer has been made by you. In terms of the provisions of section 13(13) of the said Act, you are hereby prohibited from transferring, either by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of your business), any of the secured assets as referred to in the Demand Notice and also Hypothecated / Mortgaged to the bank without prior written consent of the Bank. The notice is issued in terms of Section (13)2 of the said Act.

Date : 04.11.2025 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bengaluru **Canara Bank**

Pune Housing and Area Development Board

(A Regional Unit of MHADA)
म्हाडा MHADA

Grihanirman Bhavan, Agarkarnagar, Pune-411001.Tel. 26126381, Fax: 26123614

E-Tender Notice No.PB/EE I/Rohkal//2025-26
Main Portal:http://mahatenders.gov.in

On behalf of Chief Engineer II/MHADA, Executive Engineer-I, PH & ADB through the process of e-bidding invites digitally signed & unconditional online open e-BIDs from prospective bidders for the work mentioned below. The detail tender is available on above website from **04/11/2025@3.00pm.**

Name of Work & Location	Estimated Cost
Planning, Designing & Construction for Development of 8,001 nos. 1-BHK Dwelling Units each having PMAY(U) - 2.0 Carpet area of minimum 30.00 Sq. Meter for EWS category beneficiaries, including construction of all required on-site and off-site Infrastructure works on 38.65 Acres of Land owned by MHADA in Rohkal (Chakan) Pune, under PMAY(U) 2.0 - Affordable Housing in Partnership (AHP)	₹ 11,60,94,51,000/-

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information regarding E-Tender at **http://mahatenders.gov.in**

SD/-
Executive Engineer-I,
Pune Board, Pune.

CPRO/A/894

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General public are hereby notified that my client **Mrs. Vani Reddy.S.M,** W/o. Mr. Abishek. R, D/o.Late.Lakshmi Devi. S.N, R/o.4/16, "Ravi Teja", Nanjappa Reddy Colony, 1st Main Road, Yeshwanthpur, Bangalore 560 022 has filed a suit for Partition in O.S.No.1257/2020 on the file of the I Additional Senior Civil Judge, Bangalore Rural District at Bangalore in respect of the schedule property purchased by M/s Global Tech Park Pvt. Ltd., vide Sale Deed dated 27.12.2013, No.1957/2013-14, Book I, recorded in CD No. SHRD 36 and registered at the office of the Sub Registrar, Shanthinagar, Bangalore allegedly executed by Mrs.S.R.Kamalamma and others the legal Heirs of Late.S.R.Narayana Reddy by excluding my client who is also one of the Legal heir entitled for the share in the schedule property and it is represented by my client that the schedule property is being developed by Ajmera Nucleus, situated at Next to Mahindra Tech Park, Shanthipura, Phase II, Bangalore.

The General Public are hereby cautioned and forewarned regarding the pending suit for Partition and the General public are further warned not to enter into any transaction which will be subject to the outcome of the suit pending for Partition

SCHEDULE

ITEM No. 1: All that piece and parcel of undeveloped property available without four boundaries detailed below and measuring **2 Acres 00 Guntas in Survey No.13/5 (Old No.13/1)** situated in **Doddanagamangala Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk** duly converted for non agricultural industrial (Hi-tech) use vide Conversion order bearing No. ALN(SB) (BH)SR:76/2011-12 dated 10.01.2012 issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore

East by : Remaining portion of property in Survey No.13/5 (Old No.13/1)
West by : Property in Survey No.14/1
North by : Property in Survey No.13/2 and
South by: Road and remaining portion of Survey No.13/4 (Old No.13/1)

ITEM No. 2: All that piece and parcel of undeveloped property available without four boundaries detailed below and measuring **1 Acre 09 Guntas in Survey No.13/2 (Old No.13)** situated in **Doddanagamangala Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk** duly converted for non agricultural industrial (Hi-tech) use vide Conversion order bearing No. ALN(SB) (BH)SR:76/2011-12 dated 10.01.2012 issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore.

East by: Remaining portion of property in Survey No.13/2,
West by : Property in Survey No.14/2
North by : Property in Survey No. 13/3 and,
South by: Property in Survey No.13/5 (Old No.13/1)

ITEM No.3: All that piece and parcel of undeveloped property available without four boundaries detailed below and measuring **1 Acre 29 Guntas in Survey No.14/2** situated in **Doddanagamangala Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk** duly converted for non agricultural industrial (Hi-tech) use vide Conversion order bearing No. ALN(SB) (BH)SR:76/2011-12 dated 10.01.2012 issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore.

East by : Property in Survey No.13/2,
West by: Konappana Agarahara Village Boundary
North by : Property in Survey No.14/3,
South by : Property in Survey No.14/1

Mr. N. JAIPRAKASH RAO, Mrs. VEENA RAO, Mr. N. ASHOK KUMAR, Ms. SANJANA JAYPEE
JAYPEE ASSOCIATES "LAW FIRM"
No.38, "KRISHNA" 1st Cross, Malleswaram, BANGALORE - 560 003.
Phone No: 080-23560365, 23468742, E-mail : contact.jaypee1234@gmail.com
Bangalore Date : 05.11.2025

GIC HOUSING FINANCE LTD.

गृहे सौख्यम् विराजते

Bengaluru Hub-Office : at Leo Shopping Complex, 6th Floor, No.44 & 45, Residency Road Cross, Bengaluru -560025.
Phone No. 080-25580039, bengaluru_hub@gichf.com.
Regd. Office : National Insurance Bldg., 6th Floor, 14, Jamshedji TATA Road, Churchgate, Mumbai-400 020.
Phone No. 022-43041900 | **E-Mail :** corporate@gichf.com.

DEMAND NOTICE

(IN PURSUANCE WITH SECTION 13(2) OF THE SARFAESI ACT., 2002)

GIC HF LTD. has sanctioned loans to the following borrowers to purchase construction/residential properties by creating equitable mortgage and in favor of **GIC HF LTD.** The repayment of the loans is irregular, and the accounts are finally classified as Non-Performing Asset in accordance with directions and guidelines of National Housing Bank.

GIC HF LTD. has therefore invoked its rights under section 13(2) of the SARFAESI ACT,2002 and called upon the borrowers to repay the total outstanding mentioned against each within 60days from the date of demand notice in pursuance to Rule 3 Security Interest (Enforcement) Rule 2002. The Borrower has not acknowledged receipt of the notice. Hence, the following borrowers are hereby called upon again publicly to pay the total dues mentioned against them plus the charges & interest accrued till date within 60 days from today, failing which **GIC HF LTD.** Shall resort to all or any Legal rights to take possession of the premises dispose it and adjust the proceeds against the overdue amount.

The borrowers are also restrained from alienating or creating third party charges on the ownership of the properties.

Sr. No.	File No / Branch / Borrower(s) & Guarantor(s)	Description of the Immovable Property Mortgaged	Date of Demand Notice/Outstanding Amount as per Notice
1	**KA0590100000831 /** Yelahanka / Mr. G Sathish Kumar S/o A.Govindaraj	All the piece and parcel of the Northern Portion property bearing Site No.29, Old khatha No.53/1, New Khatha No.247, Situated at Parappana Agrahara Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk. Presently comes under BBMP Limits, measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 15 Feet In All measuring 600 Sq., feet and **bounded on : East by :** Site No.32, **West by :** Road, **North by :** Site No.30, **South by :** Remaining Portion of Site No.29	17.10.2025 & Rs.22,81,260/-
2	**KA0020110002555 & KA0020610002166 /** Bangalore / Mr.Kowsar Mohamed S/o Peer Mohamed & Mrs.Asma Khanam W/o Kowsar Mohamed	All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Northern Portion of Property bearing No.61/2, BBMP B' Khatha Sl.No.2250, Situated at Vijinapura @ Kotthur Village, Krishnarajapuram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore now comes under the jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) Previously under the limit of K.R.Puram CMC, Bangalore, Measuring East to West 55 Feet and North to South 22 Feet, totally measuring 1210 Sq.Ft., together with super structure building thereon and **bounded on the:- East by :** 10 Feet Road, **West by :** Property belongs to Muniswamappa, **North by :** Property belongs to K. Manjunath, **South by :** Southern (Remaianing) Portion of same Property No. 61/2,	17.10.2025 & Rs.14,94,308/-

Date : 05/11/2025 | Place : Bangalore **GIC Housing Finance Ltd., Sd/- Authorised Officer**

बैंक ऑफ़ बड़ौदा Bank of Baroda

Bellandur Branch
No.21, Opp Amba Bajaj, Near Central, Outer Ring Road,
Gennext, Bengaluru-560103.

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY "APPENDIX-IV-A[See proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6)]

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s), Mortgagor(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of Bank of Baroda, Secured Creditor, will be sold on **24.11.2025 "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** basis for recovery of dues in below mentioned account. The details of Borrower/s/Mortgagor/s/Guarantor/s/ Secured Asset/s/Dues/Reserve Price/e-Auction date & Time, EMD and Bid Increase Amount are mentioned below :

Sl. No.	Name & address of Borrower/s, Mortgagor/s and Guarantor/ s	Detail description of the immovable/moveable property with known Encumbrances, if any	Total Dues	Date & Time of E-Auction	Reserve Price, EMD, Last Date of EMD Amount and Bid Increase Amount	Status of Possession (Constructive/ Physical)	Property Inspection Date & Time
1	**Sri. Lokesha. K. S** S/o Sri. Srinivasa Reddy. M, Residential Site No.1, Near Sri Chaitanya School, Vyalikaval H.B.C.S Layout, Nagavara Village, Ward No.23, Kasaba Hobli, Bengaluru-560045. **And also at :** No.45, Near Rama Temple, Kothur, N.Kothur, Chintamani, Chikkaballapur, Karnataka-563125. **And also at :** C/o AGL & T Consultancy Services, No.1, Jhanshi Building, Near Chowdeshwari Garage,Infosys Gate No.7 Road, Konnappana Agraharam, Electronic City, Bengaluru- 560100. **And also at :** No.274/1, 2nd Main Sector-A, Sri Mookambika Nilaya, Basavanagar North, Bengaluru-560034.	**Schedule Property :** All that piece and parcel of the Residential property bearing Vacant Site No.1, Northern Portion of property bearing No.35/1, Assessment No.35/1, BBMP Khatha No.35/1, formed in Vyalikaval H.B.C.S Layout, Near Sri Chaitanya School, situated at Nagavara Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru, presently comes within the jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, New BBMP Ward No.23, Bengaluru–560045, measuring East to West 35 Feet and North to South 41 Feet, totally measuring 1,435 Square Feet and bounded on the: East by: Private Building, West by : Site No.02, North by : Shobha Apartment, South by : Road.	**Rs.98,48,041/- (Rupees Ninety Eight Lakhs Forty Eight Thousand Forty One Only) as on 10.04.2024 inclusive of interest upto 31.12.2023 together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs as on Possession Notice dated 15.07.2024**	**24.11.2025 From 02:00 PM to 06:00 PM**	**Reserve Price: Rs.1,04,61,000/-** **EMD: Rs. 10,46,100/-** **Last Date of EMD Amount: 24.11.2025 (2.00 PM)** **Bid Increment Amount: Rs.2,00,000/-**	**Physical Possession**	**With Prior Appointment from authorized officer**

For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer/visit to the website link https://www.bankofbaroda.in/e-auction.htm and online auction portal https://baanknet.com Also, prospective bidders may contact the Authorised officer on Tel No: 080-25740624 & Mobile: 8617259213

Date: 27.10.2025
Place:- Bengaluru

Authorised Officer,
Bank of Baroda

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10 years of forced labour for foreign NGO consultant convicted of undermining Central African state security

GLOBAL WEATHER

LR: Light Rain ● HR: Heavy Rain ● LS: Light Snow ● TDS: Thundershower ● LC: Light Cloud ● SNY: Sunny

City	Max	Min		City	Max	Min	
Beijing	29	19	SNY	Los Angeles	32	19	SNY
Colombo	29	25	TDS	Melbourne	17	5	LC
Dhaka	33	25	TDS	Moscow	28	13	SNY
Dubai	44	28	SNY	New York	26	15	SNY
Houston	30	23	TDS	Singapore	32	25	TDS
Istanbul	33	21	SNY	Toronto	23	13	SNY
London	20	13	SNY	Washington	26	14	SNY

New York votes in fierce 3-way battle for mayor

Mamdani eyes history as city's first Muslim mayor, while Cuomo fights for comeback and Sliwa targets surprise win

NEW YORK

Zohran Mamdani

Andrew Cuomo

Curtis Sliwa

NEW YORK City's voters are deciding the outcome of a generational and ideological divide that will resonate across the country Tuesday as they choose the next mayor to run the nation's largest city.

Zohran Mamdani, who won the Democratic primary earlier this year, faces former Gov Andrew Cuomo, who is running as an independent, and perennial Republican candidate Curtis Sliwa, who is trying to land a massive upset. A victory for Mamdani would give the city its first Muslim mayor and its youngest leader in generations, while elevating the democratic socialist to political stardom and giving his brand of economic populism one of the most visible political perches in America. If Cuomo comes out on top, he will have staged a remarkable political comeback four years after resigning as governor over a barrage of sexual harassment allegations.

For Sliwa — the creator of the Guardian Angels crime patrol group and a longtime New York tabloid fixture — a win would put a Republican in charge of the nation's largest city at a time when many New Yorkers are seeking a leader who can keep President Donald Trump at bay.

The race has made Mamdani a national figure as he has drawn the ire of Trump and other Republicans, who have tried to cast him as the face of a new, more radical Democratic Party. Trump has also threatened to take over the city if Mamdani wins, as well as arrest and deport the state Assembly member, who was born in Uganda but is a US citizen.

Trump reluctantly endorsed Cuomo on the eve of the election, saying Mamdani would bring "disaster" to the city and encouraging Sliwa backers to vote for the former governor instead.

In a post on Truth Social on election eve on Monday, Trump also threatened that he will send only the minimum-required federal funds to New York City if Mamdani wins the election and becomes the mayor.

Meanwhile, Palestinian-American activist Linda Sarsour has accused New York mayoral candidate Zohran Mamdani of receiving campaign funds from the Council on American-Islamic Relations (CAIR), a group under congressional investigation for alleged ties to Hamas, *The New York Post* reported *AP*

Relatives and supporters of hostages held by Hamas in the Gaza Strip attend a rally calling for their immediate release in Tel Aviv, Israel | AP

CAPTURE TO RETURN: STATUS OF HOSTAGES

While debates continue over the return of hostages' remains, the figures highlight the human toll of the conflict

TOTAL HOSTAGES TAKEN DURING THE OCTOBER 7 ATTACK: **251**

Hostages taken before the Oct. 7 attack: **4** (2 who entered Gaza in 2014 and 2015 and the bodies of 2 soldiers killed in the 2014 war)

Living hostages released in exchanges or other deals **160**

HOSTAGES RESCUED ALIVE 8

WAR WATCH

ISRAEL-GAZA: DAY **759**

Tel Aviv
WEST BANK
JORDAN
Jerusalem
GAZA STRIP
ISRAEL

TOLL SO FAR

68,858

Bodies of hostages retrieved by Israeli forces **51**

BODIES OF HOSTAGES STILL IN CAPTIVITY: 8, OF WHOM 2 ARE NON-ISRAELI (1 THAI NATIONAL AND 1 TANZANIAN)

28 bodies of hostages released in recent exchange deals

Europe faces gaps in defences against Russia, says report

PARIS

EUROPE could struggle to mobilise enough troops or quickly produce enough weapons in case of a direct confrontation with Russia, a new report warned on Tuesday.

The French Institute of International Relations (IFRI), a top think tank, highlighted Europe's weaknesses in the event of a high-intensity conflict with Russia, which the authors describe as "a long-term threat".

Europe needs to demonstrate political will and "a coherent defence economic strategy" to prepare for a possible confrontation with Russia over the next five years, said the report titled "Europe-Russia: Balance of Power Review". IFRI director Thomas Gomart told AFP it was important to "identify our strengths and weaknesses", pointing to Europe's "critical military gaps".

"European countries have the necessary potential, that is the economic resources, military capabilities and technological know-how to stand up to Russia by 2030, provided -- and this is obviously the most important word — that they demonstrate political will," he said. EU countries have upped military spending in a bid to contain Russia since Vladimir Putin launched a full-scale invasion of Ukraine in February 2022.

Last month, Fabien Mandon, France's chief of the defence staff, said the country must be ready in the next three or four years for a clash with Russia, which "may be tempted to continue the war on our continent". Although Europe enjoys an advantage over Russia in aerospace and at sea, its land forces suffer from "critical shortfalls in depth and ammunition stockpiles", the report said, also pointing to Moscow's experience in mobilising troops. "There are reasons to doubt the political, strategic and operational availability of a number of European troops in the case of a confrontation scenario," the report said.

"As of 2025, 20 out of 30 European NATO or EU members have professional ground forces of fewer than 15,000 troops," the study said. *AFP*

Typhoon Kalmaegi kills 26 in Philippines floods

MANILA

TYPHOON Kalmaegi has left at least 26 people dead in the Philippines, mostly in flooding set off by the storm, which barreled across the central part of the country on Tuesday, disaster response officials said. Floodwaters trapped scores of people on their roofs and submerged cars.

A further six people were killed when a Philippine air force helicopter crashed in a separate incident in southern Agusan del Sur province while transporting humanitarian aid to provinces battered by Kalmaegi. The bodies of all those aboard the Super Huey chopper that crashed near Loreto town were recovered after a search, the military's Eastern Mindanao Command said in a statement without providing other details, including what could have caused the crash.

Kalmaegi was last spotted over the coastal waters of Jordan town in the central province of Guimaras with sustained winds of 130 kph (81 mph) and gusts of up to 180 kph (112 mph). It was forecast to blow away into the South China Sea late Tuesday or early Wednesday after hitting the western province of Palawan.

At least 26 people were killed, mostly in flooding across Cebu and other central provinces hit by Typhoon Kalmaegi, officials said, adding that details were still being verified as rescue and relief operations continued in the hardest-hit areas. *AP*

IN THE COURT OF THE X ADDL. CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE AT BENGALURU (CCH-26)

P & SC. NO. 556 / 2025

1. Mr. D.P. Naresh @ Devatha Prakash Naresh, S/o Late D.S. Prakash, aged about 54 years, R/at Pride Picassa, Flat No.302, 3rd Floor, No.214, 2nd Cross, Domlur, 2nd Stage, Indiranagar, Opp Sree Munishwara Temple, Bengaluru-560071.

2. Mr. D.P. Pavan @ Devatha Prakash Pavan S/o Late D.S. Prakash, aged about 47 years, R/at Rangashree 1503 Sir Krishna Rao road Basavungudi, Bangalore-560004. **..Petitioners**

V/s : NIL ... Respondant

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas the above named Petitioners, namely **Mr. D.P. Naresh** and **Mr. D.P. Pavan**, have filed a petition under Section 372 of the Indian Succession Act, 1925, seeking grant of a *Succession Certificate* in their favour in respect of the schedule mentioned below. The schedule mentioned property belonged to **late Sri. Devatha Sriramaiah Prakash @ Sri. D.S. Prakash**, father of the Petitioners herein, who expired on **01/07/2025** at Bengaluru. All persons having any objection to the issuance of the Succession Certificate in favour of the Petitioners are hereby called upon to appear before this Hon'ble Court, either in person or through a duly instructed pleader, on **24/11/2025 at 11:00 a.m.**, and show cause, if any, as to why the said certificate should not be granted. In the event of failure to appear, the matter will be heard and decided *ex parte*.

SCHEDULE OF ASSET

Fixed Deposit amounting to 25,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty-Five Lakhs only) standing in the name of **late Sri. D.S. Prakash** with **Kotak Mahindra Bank**, Basavanagudi Branch, Bengaluru, bearing **FD No. 0650382211**. Given under my hand and seal of the court on this date 31.10.2025 at Bengaluru.

By Order of Court, Senior Sheristedar at City Civil Court, Bangalore.

Santosh Patil, Advocate #9, 17th E Main, 5th Block, Jedarahalli, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The general public is hereby informed that my client is intending to purchase Site No.123, Khatha No.583/123, PID No. 150300700700801724 measuring East to West 12 Meters, North to South 9 Meters – totally measuring 108 Square Meters / 1162 Sft in M.S. Ramaiah Green City Phase 1, a residential Layout formed in Sy.Nos.1/1, 1/2, 3,4/2, 12/1,12/2 and 12/4 of Krishnarajapura Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk from its owner N.Suresh S/o T Nagarajaiah. If anybody is having any objection, claim, interest, dispute for the above intended sale transaction, he/she/they may contact the undersigned with documentary proof substantiating his/her/their objection s/claims/details of dispute/s within 7 (Seven) days from the date of this publication, failing which, my client will proceed to complete the sale transaction with the above owner as if there are no third party interest/ claims / objections /disputes in respect of the schedule property and thereafter no claims/ objections/disputes will be entertained.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Site No.123, Khatha No.583/123, PID No. 150300700700801724 measuring East to West 12 Meters, North to South 9 Meters- totally measuring 108 Square Meters / 1162 Sft in M.S. Ramaiah Green City Phase 1, a residential Layout formed in Sy.Nos.1/1, 1/2, 3,4/2, 12/1,12/2 and 12/4 of Krishnarajapura Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk and bounded on: East by : Site No.138, West by :Road, North by : Site No.122, South by : Site No.124

D.S.GIRISH, Advocate
No.25/3, 12th cross 5th main, A D Halli
Basaveshwaranagar, Bangalore -560079.
Mobile No.6363859343
Date: 05-11-2025

PUBLIC NOTICE

I the undersigned advocate on behalf of my client **Smt. Nagamma** have filed the above petition for the death certificate of **one late. Krishnappa S/o late. Anjinappa was died on 16-09-2009** at Ward No.4, Devanahalli Town, Bangalore Rural District if any perties who have objections may dispute regarding the same can appear before the Hon'ble Principal Civil Judge and J.M.F.C at Devanahalli and the date hearing **on 18.12.2025 at 11.00 A.M in Crl Mis.No.527/2025.**

By Order of the Court, Sd/- Chief Ministerial Officer
Civil Judge & JMFC Court, Devanahalli
Sri Munianjunappa .N & Sri Manu .Y.M., Advocate

IN THE COURT OF THE II ADDL. CITY CIVIL AND SEASONS JUDGE, AT BENGALURU (CCH-17)

L.A.C. No.56/2022

BETWEEN : Jairaj S/o Jojappa and others. **...Claimants**

AND : Special Land Acquisition Officer K.H.B. Bengaluru. **...Respondent.**

NOTICE OR SUMMONS TO THE CLAIMANT NOS.3 TO 8

3) Anthoni Raj, S/o late Anthonappa,
4) Jojappa,
5) Dodda Anthonappa,
6) Anthonappa,
7) Anthappa S/o Aralappa,
8) Joseph S/o Chinnappa @ Jojappa, All are resident Of Adigondanahalli Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru District.

Whereas, the above Respondents have made reference before this Hon'ble Court under Section 77(1) of Right to fair Compensation and transparency in land acquisition Rehabilitation And Resettlement Act 2013, in the land acquisition cases in respect of Survey No. 127, measuring 26 Acres 08 guntas in Adigondanahalli Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru District, vide Govt. Notification No.R.D:10:BhuswaBen:2008, dated: 02.02.2008, the award amount has been deposited before this Hon'ble Court for apportionment.

The above case is posted on **28.11.2025 at 11.AM** the claimant No.3 to 8 you are hereby summoned to appear before this Hon'ble Court in person or through an Advocate duly instructed by you, failing which the above case will be determined in your absence by placing exparte.

Given under my hand and seal of this court on this 17th day of September 2025.

By Order of the Court
Sd/- Senior Sheristedar
City Civil Court, Bangalore

Advocate for Respondent V. N. Murthy, Advocate
No,25/1, Srikanta Nilaya Dhanalakshmi
Layout, Virupakshapura, Vidyaranyapura Post,
Bengaluru -560 097.

IN THE COURT OF THE XXVIII ADDL CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE AT BENGALURU (CCH-29)

O.S No. 25180/2025

BETWEEN ; MARY ABRAHAM W/o Abraham Mathew D/o Late V.M Mathew, Aged about 55 years, Residing at 9A, Nikunjam Fortune, Jawahar Nagar, Kowdiar, Trivandrum, Kerala 695 003 **...Plaintiff**

AND : BINESH MATHEW & ANR ...Defendants

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT NO.2

To, Elizabeth Mathew Aged about 53 years, D/o Late V.M Mathew, Residing at, No 32. 4th Main Road Behind Binny Mills Ganganagar Extension Bangalore 560032. **Also, No.11,** Kristal Onyx, Karyavattom, Thrippadapuram Road, Trivandrum, Kerala 695 581.

Whereas, the Plaintiff above named filed the above suit against the you and another under order VII rule 1 R/w section 26 of Code of Civil Procedure, for the relief of partition and permanent Injunction of the suit schedule property. You hereby summoned to appear before this Hon'ble Court either in person or through a Pleader on the **26/11/2025 at 11.00 AM** to defend the above case, failing which the matter will be, heard and decided in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of the court, this 31st day of October 2025.

SUIT SCHEDULE PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of building bearing No.32, 4th Main Road, Hebbal Mile, Gangenahalli, Bengaluru, measuring 2240 square Feet and having built up area of 1100 square Feet and bounded on:- **East by** : Property of Ramadevara Temple, **West by :** Road, **North by :** Property bearing No.38, **South by :** Property bearing No.36.

By Order Of The Court, Deputy Registrar,
City Civil Court, Mayohall Unit, Bangalore

SIJI MALAYIL ASSOCIATES
Office at No.S-501, 5th Cross, South Block,
Manipal Center, M.G Road, Bengaluru-42

IN THE COURT OF 24th ADDL. CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE AT BENGALURU (CCH-6)

P & SC. 600/2025

BETWEEN : 1. C.R. Shanthamma, W/o Late Chandranna HM, Aged about 77 years,
2. Sowmya H C, D/oLate Chandranna HM, W/o Yogananda HS, Aged about 43 years,
3. Keshiraja HC, S/o Late Chandranna HM, Aged about 41 years,
All are R/at No.36/33, Ramanathanagara, Gnanabodhini School Road, Nagadevanahalli, Bengaluru-560056. **...PETITIONERS**
AND:- NIL ...RESPONDENT

PUBLIC NOTICE

1. Whereas the above named petitioner has filed a petition under Section 372 of Indian Succession Act, 1925 seeking issue of Succession Certificate in respect of the Schedule Property and to declare them as surviving legal heirs of the deceased late HM Chandranna, died on 25-07-2025.

2. Therefore, any person having any objection/s for issue of a Succession Certificate in respect of the Schedule Property and to declare them as surviving legal heirs and any person having interest, may cause the same by appearing before Court of the Hon'ble 24th Addl. City Civil And Sessions Judge, Bengaluru (CCH-6) at Bengaluru in person or through his/her advocate **on the 12th day of December, 2025 at 11.00 AM.** Failing which, the matter will be heard and disposed off in accordance with law.

SCHEDULE

The loan obtained on INDIAN OVERSEAS BANK, Residency Road, Branch Bengaluru under housing scheme with following account numbers.

Sl. No.	Loan Account Number	Amount
1.	026803521000074	Rs.37,00,000/-
2.	026803468000069	Rs. 10,40,000/-

Given under my hand, seal on this the 3rd day of November, 2025.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT, Senior Sheristedar,
City Civil Court, Bengaluru
Advocate for Petitioner
Sri Narendra Prakash .R Advocate,
FALCON LEGAL
No.273, 2nd Main, 2nd Cross,
Mahalakshmipuram, Bengaluru-560 086.

RAJASTHAN RAJYA VIDYUT PRASARAN NIGAM LIMITED

Notice Inviting Bid

1. Bid for Construction of 220kV & 132kV transmission lines associated with 220kV GSS Seruna (Dist - Bikaner) in Rajasthan including survey, supply of all equipment's/materials, erection (including civil works), testing and commissioning (turnkey project) against specification No. RVPN/EHV/BN-9019002524 & UBN: VPN2526WLOB02074) are invited from interested bidders up to 04:00 pm on 18.11.2025.
2. Bid for Purchase of 02 Nos. 500 MVA, 400/220/33 kV Auto Power Transformers against BN -9019002525 and UBN : VPN2526GLOB02071 is invited from interested bidders up to 04:00 PM on 03.12.2025.

Other particulars of the bid may be visited on the procurement portal **(http://eproc.rajasthan.gov.in, http://sppp.raj.nic.in)** of the state; and **http://energy.rajasthan.gov.in/rvpnl** departmental website.

Superintending Engineer (Contracts-II), Jaipur

Raj.Samwad/C/25/13087 RRVPN/TR-7214/2025

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY & VETERINARY SERVICES,

Office of the Commissioner, Pashupaalana Bhavana, 1st Floor,
Opp. to CBI Office, Bellary Road, Hebbal, Bengaluru - 560 024.
Email : commissionerahvs@gmail.com **Ph:** 080-23412767

No:CAH/VMS/IAH & VB/EQUIP/Tender/2025-26 DATE:03.11.2025

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION

(KPP portal mode only)

The Commissioner of Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services, Government of Karnataka, Bangalore hereby invites bids through KPP -portal from eligible bidders Short Term Tender For Supply of Equipments to Regional Animal Diagnostic Labarotoreis of IAH & VB Under RIDF Tranch-28 for the year 2025-26 for which the tendered Amount is **Rs. 486.35 lakhs.**

Complete tender documents can be viewed by visiting website **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** from Dt: **03.11.2025** and tenderers can upload all the necessary documents through KPP portal from **03.11.2025 to 24.11.2025 till 17.30 hours.**

Further information can be obtained from KPP Portal and concerned officer in this office during office hours.

Sd/- Deputy Director, Veterinary Medical Stores
Department Of Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services,

DIPR/CP/3567/Zen /2025-26

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

GeM NOTICE

Divisional Railway Manager (Mechanical), Southern Railway, Madurai - 625016 for and on behalf of the President of India invites Online tenders in Single Packet system from reputed contractors for the following works as per tender notice given in Government e-Marketing place (GeM) Portal. The tenderer(s) / Contractor(s) to apply for works in Madurai Division, need to get enrolled **in the GeM portal and only online tenders will be accepted.**

1.	Name of the work	Annual Maintenance Contract for various Fire Extinguishers available at various C&W Depots of MDU Division for a period of two years.	Welding work of wagons at Milavittan (MVN) Wagon Depot by providing one skilled welder and one unskilled assistant for welder in each shift for a period of two years.
2.	GeM Bid No.	GEM/2025/B/6835058 Dt : 31.10.2025	GEM/2025/B/6832461 Dated : 31.10.2025
3.	Place of work	MDU, TEN, RMM, TN	MVN
4.	Value of the work	Rs. 17,14,626.13	Rs. 45,53,822.55
5.	EMD (Rs.)	Rs. 34,300/-	Rs. 91,080
6.	Tender closing date	21.11.2025 19.00 hrs	21.11.2025 19.00 hrs.

Note : It is the responsibility of the tenderers to check any Corrigendum is issued for any correction; deletion or modifications uploaded subsequently in the website and the same shall be taken into account while uploading the tender. For further details please visit website at **"http://www.gem.gov.in".**

Senior Divisional Mechanical Engineer, Madurai

ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ದಕ್ಷಿಣ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ತಾವರೆಕೆರೆ ಹೋಬಳಿ. ಅಜ್ಜಹಳ್ಳಿ ದಾಖ್ಲೆ. ಚುಂಚನಕುಪ್ಪೆ ಅಂಚೆ, ಮುದ್ದನಪಾಳ್ಯ ಗ್ರಾಮದಲ್ಲಿ ವಾಸವಾಗಿರುವ ತಿಮ್ಮಯ್ಯ ರವರ ಮಗ ಸುಮಾರು 54 ವರ್ಷ ವಯಸ್ಸುಳ್ಳ ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ.ಟಿ.ಹನುಮಂತ ರಾಯಪ್ಪ ಆದ ನಾನು ಪ್ರಮಾಣ ಮಾಡಿ ಹೇಳುವುದೇನೆಂದರೆ:

1. ನಾನು ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ವಿಳಾಸದಲ್ಲಿ ಖಾಯಂ ವಾಸವಾಗಿರುತ್ತೇನೆ.

2. ಎಂ.ಟಿ.ಹನುಮಂತರಾಯಪ್ಪ ಆದ ನನಗೆ ಮಾಗಡಿ ಸಬ್ ರಿಜಿಸ್ಟಾರ್ ರವರ ಕಛೇರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ದಿನಾಂಕ:28.03.2016 ರಂದು 1ನೇ ಪುಸ್ತಕದ ದಸ್ತಾವೇಜು ನಂಬರ್ ಎಂಜಿಡಿ–1–06535/2015–16 ಸಿಡಿ ನಂಬರ್ ಎಂಜಿಡಿಡಿ 227ನೇ ದ್ದರಲ್ಲಿ ಶಿಲ್ಪ ಎಂ.ಆರ್ ಕೋಂ ಕೃಷ್ಣಪ್ಪ ರವರಿಂದ ಮಾಗಡಿ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ಕಸಬಾ ಹೋಬಳಿ ಮಾಗಡಿ ಗ್ರಾಮದ ಸರ್ವೆ ನಂ.147/6ರ ಜಮೀನು ಶುದ್ಧ ಕ್ರಯಪತ್ರ ನೊಂದಣಿ ಯಾಗಿದ್ದು ನನ್ನ ಬಳಿ ಇದ್ದ ಕ್ರಯಪತ್ರ ದಿನಾಂಕ:19.11.2023 ರಂದು ಮಾಗಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಜೆರಾಕ್ಸ್ ಮಾಡಿಸಲು ತಂದಾಗ ಆಕಸ್ಮಿಕವಾಗಿ ಕಳೆದು ಹೋಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಆದ ಕಾರಣ ಸದರಿ ಕ್ರಯದ ಪತ್ರದ ನಕಲು ಪ್ರತಿ ಪಡೆದಿದ್ದು, ತಮ್ಮ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕಿಗೆ ನಕಲು ಪ್ರತಿ ನೀಡಿರುತ್ತೇನೆ.

3. ಈ ಪ್ರವಾಣ ಪತ್ರವನ್ನು ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ಪೊಲೀಸ್ ಠಾಣೆ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿ ರವರಲ್ಲಿ ಹಾಜರುಪಡಿಸಿ ನನ್ನ ಬಳಿ ಇದ್ದ ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ಕ್ರಯಪತ್ರ ಆಕಸ್ಮಿಕವಾಗಿ ಕಳೆದಯೋಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ ಫಿರ್ಯಾದು ನೀಡಲು ಹಾಗೂ ಸದರಿ ಕ್ರಯಪತ್ರ ಕಳೆದಹೋಗಿರುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಸದರಿ ಪ್ರಮಾಣ ಪತ್ರವನ್ನ ಮಾಡಿಸಿ ಮಾಗಡಿ ವಕೀಲರಾದ ಆರ್ ಹರೀಶ್ ರವರ ಬಳಿ ನೋಟರಿ ಮಾಡಿಸಿ ಪ್ರತಿಕಾ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ನೀಡಲು ಹಾಜರುಪಡಿಸ ಬೇಕಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

4. ಸದರಿ ಸ್ವತ್ತನ್ನು ಯಾರಿಗೂ ಮಾರಾಟ ಪರಭಾರೆ. ಭೋಗ್ಯ ವಗ್ಯೆರೆ ಮಾಡಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಒಂದು ವೇಳೆ ಸದರಿ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟಂತೆ ಏನೆ ತಂಟೆ ತಕರಾರು ಬಂದಲ್ಲಿ ನಾನೆ ಜವಾಬ್ದಾರನಾಗಿರುತ್ತೇವೆ. ಹಾಗೂ ಸ್ವಂತ ಖರ್ಚಿನಿಂದ ಬಗೆಹರಿಸಿ ಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ಸ್ಥಳ: ಮಾಗಡಿ ವಕೀಲರು
ದಿನಾಂಕ:4.11.2025 ಹರೀಶ್.ಆರ್
ಮಾಗಡಿ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ರಾಮನಗರ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ
ರಿ.ನಂ:8790

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that **Smt. Kusuma K.,** W/o. Prasad T., residing at No. 1251, 3rd Cross, 5th Main, Manasanagara, Nagarbhavi, Bangalore-560072 is the absolute owner of property mentioned in the schedule hereunder, having purchased the same from its previous owner Sri. Roopa Kumar under sale deed dt. 3-7-2014, which has been registered as document registered as document No. RJN-1-01897/14-15, in Book-I, C.D. No. RJND268, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Rajajinagar, Bangalore North Taluk.

But, the previous owner Roopakumar lost the **(i) Original Allotment Letter No. BDA/ADM/1251/NB/1st/SY. No. 51/90-91, dt. 26-9-1990, (ii) Original Possession Certificate, PCR No. 67/NB/93-94 and (iii) Original Lease-cum-Sale Agreement, Regn. No. 5106, in Book-I, Volume-5019, pages 90 to 94, dt. 10-10-1993** and he lodged complaint to The Sub-Inspector, Chandra Layout Police Station on 7-1-2014 and sworn to an affidavit dt. 6-1-2014 in that regard.

Further, Roopa Kumar given application to The Deputy Secretary-3, BDA on 17-1-2014 to issue duplicate Allotment Letter and Possession Certificate in respect of **Site No. 1251** and they have issued duplicate copy of the said documents.

Now Smt. Kusuma K. intends to avail loan from State Bank of India, Chandra Layout Branch, Bangalore by transferring the existing loan from Punjab National Bank and creating security on the schedule property in favour of SBI. In case anybody having any claim / objection over the schedule property, they can submit their claim with sufficient documents to the undersigned within **Fifteen Days** from the date of publication of this notice.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of property bearing No. 1251, carved out of Sy. No. 51, situated at 3rd Main Road, Nagarabhavi 1st Stage/Extension formed by the BDA, measuring East to West : 30 feet (9.15 Mtrs) and North to South : 20 feet (6.10 Mtrs) in all measuring 600 Sq. Ft. or 55.81 Sq. Mtrs. and bounded on the:

East by : Site No. 1227
West by : Road,
North by : Site No. 1252
South by : Site No. 1250,

Residential building having Ground Floor 5 Square, First Floor 5 Square and Second Floor 1 Square (Only One Room), having total built of area of 11 Squares and having R.C.C. roofing, walls built with brick, teakwood used for doors and windows along with Mosaic flooring, with amenities like Electricity, Water Supply and sanitary Connections.

RAJARAM D. BHAT, Advocate
No. 4, 14th Main, Attiguppe, Vijayanagar,
Bangalore-560040.

IN THE DEBT RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II AT BANGALORE

(4th Floor, Telephone House Building
Raj Bhavan Road, Bangaluru)

O. A. No. 618/2018

BETWEEN
Vijaya Bank
now Bank of Baroda,
Vani Vilas Road Branch,
No.35/1, Vasavi Temple Road, Bangalore 560 004,
Represented by its Senior Branch Manager,
Mr Thangaraju. :Applicant
AND:
1.Sri. Nagaraj M. N,
S/o Sri. Nanjappa, Aged 46 years,
No.315, 9th Main Road,
Sampige Layout,Prashanthnagar,
Bangalore-560079,
2. Sri. Manjunath C.R,
S/o. Sri. Chikkaiah
Aged 50 years,
No.14,, 1st Cross, SVC Nagar,
1st Main, Nagarabhavi Road,
Moodalpalya, Bangalore-560072 :
....DEFENDANTS

NOTICE ISSUED UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993

WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an application under section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against the Defendants for Recovery of a sum of INR. **Rs. 12,42,765/- (Rupees Twelve Lakhs Forty Two Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Five Only)** together with current and future interest and other reliefs the above Defendant No.1 are therefore hereby directed to appear before the Tribunal in person or through above Defendants No.1 are therefore hereby directed to appear before the Tribunal in person or through an advocate or through authorized agents in support of their defense to show cause within **30 days** from the date of publication or **on 5:12:2025 at 10.30 A.M** as to why reliefs prayed for should not be granted. Take notice that in case of default the application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this tribunal on this **31st day of October 2025.**

REGISTRAR
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II
BENGALURU

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client Mrs. Marie Loraine Daphne Wilson W/o Mr. George J Wilson declares that she is the absolute owner of the schedule property and she had purchased the land/undivided share from Sri. R Ravi, vide **Sale Deed dated 21-12-1986** bearing document no.2606 /1986-87, book 1, volume 2563, pages 155-165, registered in the Shivajinagar sub-registrar office on 07-01-1987 **AND Sale Deed dated 27-08-1987** bearing document no.1532/1987-88, volume 2641, pages 63-69, registered in the Shivajinagar sub-registrar office on 27-10-1987.

Subsequently she had entered into a Construction Agreement with Sri. R Ravi for construction of a flat in the year 1988. Since from the date, she is in possession and enjoyment of the property as absolute owner.

If any person/s or financial institutions have any objections, right, title, interest over the schedule property may file their objections with the undersigned alongwith documentary proof within **FIFTEEN (15) DAYS** from the date of publication of this notice. Any person/s willing to deal with the schedule property shall deal with my client only and any transaction apart from the same, shall be at their own risk and peril.

SCHEDULE

(residential flat and undivided share)

All that piece and parcel of the **4-bedroom residential flat no.GF-001, Ground Floor** in the building known as **MAYA APARTMENTS** having 1550 sq feet constructed on the land bearing Site No.25/1, Old No.375/3, New BBMP No. 25/1-1, PID No.86-24-25/1-1, situated at Ashoka Road, Bangalore, comes within BBMP limits, BBMP Ward No.59 – Maruthiseva Nagar, totally measuring **3283.5 sq feet**, together with **Two covered car parking space no.GF-001 basement** with exclusive use of **private garden area behind the apartment** alongwith 2/7th = **940 sq feet** undivided share, right, title and interest in the land.

Mr. Rohit Desai, Advocates,
Manu Law Chambers
No.948/1, 2nd Main Road, Rajajinagar
4th Block Entrance, Bengaluru 560010.
Place : Bengaluru, Dated : 05.11.2025

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL AT BENGALURU

(DRT-1)

BSNL Building, 4th Floor, Telephone House,
Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru - 560 001
In the matter of

Case O. A. No.24 of 2022

Between: M/s. Karnataka Bank Ltd.,
Basaveshwaranagara Branch, Bengaluru.
....Applicant
And
M/s. Sri Mandarthi Grand and Others
...Defendants

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES, 1993 TO THE DEFENDANTS

Whereas, the Applicant has instituted an application under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993, against you for the recovery of sum of **Rs.36,74,731.54** (Rupees Thirty Six Lakhs Seventy Four Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty One and Paise Fifty Four Only) together with current and future interest and other reliefs.

You are hereby required to show-cause within 30 days from the date of publication of the summons on or before **23.02.2026 at 10:30 a.m.** in person or by a Pleader/ Advocate duly instructed as to why the reliefs prayed for should not be granted. Take notice that in case of default the application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on 28.07.2025

By Order of the Tribunal
Sd/- Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal -I, Bangalore

To:

1. M/s. Sri Mandarthi Grand, No. 8 & 10, Sy. No. 12/1, Dr, Vishnuvardhan Road, Subramanyapura Road, Uttarahalli, Bengaluru.
Represented by its Partners, a) Ganesh b) Sudhakar Shetty K., c) Prashanth d) Satvij G. Bangera
2. Ganesh, S/o. Panju Mogaveera, Aged about 41 years, No. 53, Vallabha Nagar, Veerabhdreshwaraswamy Layout, Uttarahalli, Bengaluru.
3. Sudhakara Shetty K., S/o. Tejappa Shetty, Aged about 44 years, No. 72, First Floor, 1st 'A' Main Road, 5th Cross, ISRO Layout, Bengaluru.
4. Prashanth S/o. Manjunatha, Aged about 32 years, No. 9, BTS Depot Road, BEML 5th Stage, R. R. Nagar, Bengaluru.
5. Sarvik G. Bangera, S/o. Ganesh, No. 53, Vallabha Nagar, Veerabhdreshwaraswamy Layout, Uttarahalli, Bengaluru.
....Defendants

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are informed that my client Sri. C. Nagarajaiah @ Chinnappa Nagarajaiah S/o. Late. Chinnappa, #160, 2nd Cross, Kapila Road, Balaji Layout, Malathahalli, Bengaluru-560056.

My client is the absolute owner in possession of the Converted land bearing Sy.No.9/1, measuring 1A 15G, Sy.No.8/7 (Old Sy.No.8/1), measuring 32G and Sy.No.8/4 (Old Sy.No.8/2), measuring 1A, in all totally measuring 3 acres 07 guntas (1,38,303 Sq.Ft.), Situated at Kottanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District, and bounded on:-

East by : Private property,
West by : Road,
North by : Private property,
South by : Government Road.

My client has lost the Original property documents i.e., Registered Sale Deed bearing Doc. No. 228/1994-95, Registered Sale Deed bearing Doc. No. 226/1994-95 and Registered sale deed Doc. No. 247/1994-95.

The said property is in possession of Sri. C. Nagarajaiah @ Chinnappa Nagarajaiah since 09.05.1994; he is the absolute owner and free from all encumbrance whatsoever.

My Client had lost the above mentioned Sale deeds Inspite of several efforts the Original deeds are not found and he has lodged the police complaint through online dated 04.11.2025, Lost Report No. 1884473/2025.

If any person found or anyone having any claim or interest over the said property, he/she is requested to forward their claims along with the relevant documents to us within 07 days of this Public notice. If we do not receive any claim from any person within 07 days, it will be strictly presumed that this property absolutely free from any claim or encumbrance and no one has any over this property and if any One found the above deed contact below mentioned.

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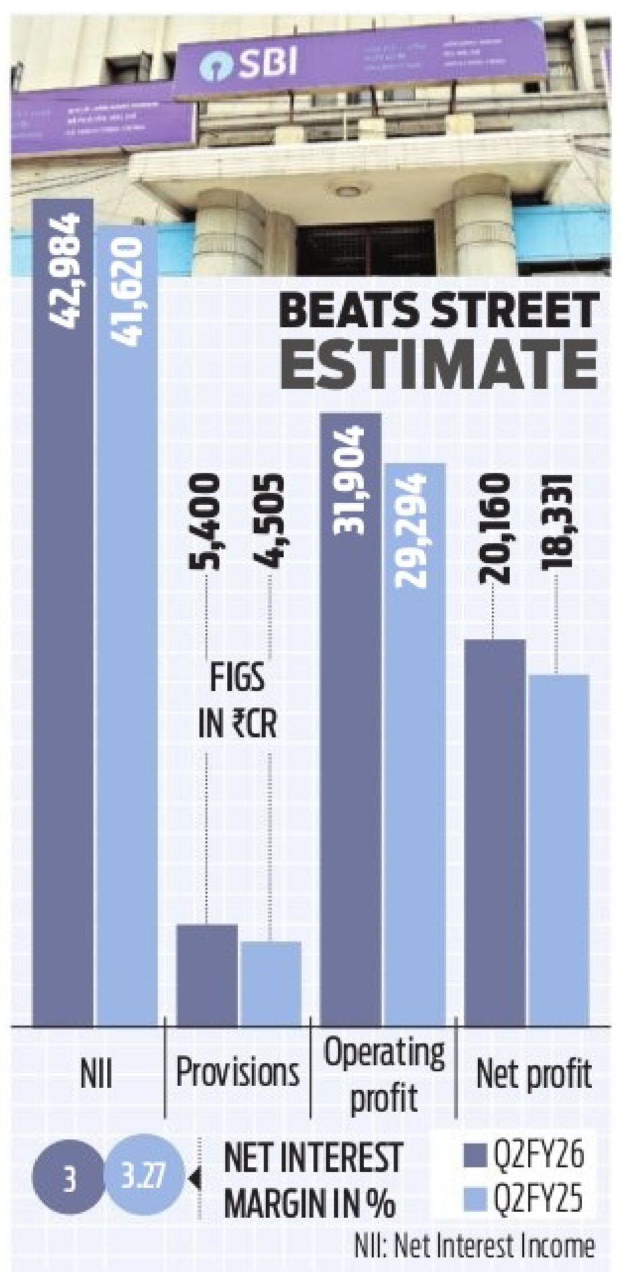
SBI remains most profitable co with ₹20,160 cr profit

Record net income is aided by a one-time gain from part sale of investment in Yes Bank

BENN KOCHUVEEDAN @ Mumbai



THE country's largest lender State Bank of India remained the most profitable company for the second quarter in the current financial year (FY26) with a ₹20,160 crore in post-tax profit, a 10% YoY rise.

The record net income is aided by a one-time gain from part sale of its investment in Yes Bank. The closest two—Tata Consultancy Services and Reliance Industries, which used to be the most profitable companies for ages —have reported much smaller profits. While TCS has notched up ₹12,904 crore in net profit for Q2FY26, Reliance is way below on a standalone basis at ₹9,129 crore; but with Jio Platforms' ₹7,375 crore and retail arm's ₹3,439 crore, and including a one-off gain of ₹8,924 crore from sale of its stake in Asian Paints, the consolidated number totals ₹22,092 crore, excluding this even the consolidated number prints in only at ₹13,168 crore.

As against this, SBI has earned only ₹3,868 crore from sale of 13.2% in Yes Bank to SMBC, which brings down the profit from core operations to ₹16,292 crore for the quarter, way ahead of RIL. SBI's all the subsidiaries' numbers are not available now as only two of the key five are listed. Publicly-traded SBI Cards reported a ₹445 crore of net income while other listed arm SBI Life printed in ₹494.6 crore in post-tax profit and the unlisted SBI General Insurance is reported to have earned ₹422 crore, while the numbers for SBF Mutual Funds, industry leader and that SBI Caps are not available. Yet if we add the available three arms' profits, the consolidated number scale past ₹21,522 crore.

Meanwhile, addressing the earnings presser here on Tuesday, chairman CS Setty said the bank earned ₹20,160 crore in post-tax profit, up 10% YoY in Q2FY26, driven by two decades bets asset quality and robust income from fresh loans, even though the total net interest income printed in 3.3% more at ₹42,985 crore, while operating profit rose by 8.91% YoY to ₹31,904 crore. The bank beat the street on nearly all key metrics.

Interest income of ₹1,19,654 crore in Q2FY26, up 5%, while interest expended rose 6% to ₹76,670 crore in the quarter.

He said the bank set a milestone with total business crossing the ₹100 trillion mark, which makes it the 53rd largest bank globally, while CFO and deputy managing director Salony Narayan said the bank added ₹4 trillion to the balance sheet, which crossed ₹70 trillion mark. The asset quality improved during the quarter with gross NPA ratio falling to 1.73 from 1.83, or to ₹76,243 crore from ₹78,039.7 crore and the net NPA ratio easing to 0.42 from 0.47, which is the lowest in over two decades.

Mehli Mistry steps down as Tata Trusts' trustee

BENN KOCHUVEEDAN @ Mumbai

IN a dramatic turn of events, Mehli Mistry, who led an unsuccessful coup against Tata Trusts chair Noel Tata, after being voted out from the two key trusts which control the Tata group last week, has parted ways with the Tata group saying that "precipitating matters would cause irreparable harm to the reputation of the Tata Trusts".

Mistry called for restraint and careful handling of the trusts' internal issues. In the November 4 letter to Noel Tata, Mistry has reportedly claimed it was his privilege to serve as a trustee of the two key trusts till October 28, and that now he wanted to part ways peacefully, thus ending to the speculations surrounding his position.

The development comes amid renewed scrutiny of the governance framework and internal dynamics at the trusts, which own nearly 66.6% of the $180 billion plus worth conglomerate. Sources said citing the larger interest of the trusts and the businesses they control indirectly, the holding company Tata Sons must remain a private entity and listing would be shunned at any cost.

The source also said the three trustees - Pramit Jhaveri, Darius Khambata, and Jehangir Jehangir who are considered close to Mistry, have counselled Mistry to back down. The differences between the two groups came to the fore in September, when the Mistry camp voted out Vinay Singh as the trusts representative on the board of Tata Sons.

Earlier, the Trusts had unanimously reappointed Venu Srinivasan as a trustee for life. However, sources said Mistry, along with Jhaveri, Jehangir and Khambata, while approving Srinivasan's reappointment as a nominee director had also put a condition that all future renewals of the trustees be approved unanimously, failing which their approvals would be withdrawn.

While one side maintains that the renewal of trusteeship will be for life, and a fresh appointment requires unanimous approval of trustees according to the laid down practice, the other side insisted that reappointment is automatic, and that it is applicable to all the trustees. According to the minutes of the joint meeting of the trustees of the key trusts on October 17, 2024, it was resolved that on the expiry of the tenure of any trustee, they would be reappointed without any limit being attached to the period of the tenure .

SUVs gain most from GST cut, small car sales under pressure: Hyundai

ARSHAD KHAN @ New Delhi

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> **Previous Venue model was taxed at 29% (petrol) and 31% (diesel). Under new GST, this model is taxed at 18%. So the benefit is 11% and 13%. I believe Venue segment has maximum potential from the GST rate cut** —Tarun Garg, whole-time director & COO, Hyundai Motor India

THE country's leading carmakers hold contrasting views on the recent GST rate cut and its impact on the passenger vehicle market. Maruti Suzuki (said the reduced tax rate has triggered a sharp rise in hatchback bookings while Hyundai Motor India reported that the 10% cut, from 28% to 18%, has given a significant boost to SUV sales.

"The customer had the same amount of money earlier and now. However, he can buy a bigger car now. The initial trend indicates customers are upgrading rather than downgrading. While the Indian base is low, "two-wheelers and helmets" will continue but still it is all about aspirations and customers are more and more wanting to upgrade," said Tarun Garg, whole-time director & COO, Hyundai Motor India (HMIL) ahead of the new Venue SUV launch.

Garg's reference to "two-wheelers and helmets" alluded to Maruti's recent comment that it is tracking the number of helmets at its showrooms, citing a growing trend of two-wheeler owners aspiring to upgrade to cars. RC Bhargava, Chairman of MSIL, last week said the perception among some carmakers that Indians no longer aspire to own small cars and that the market has shifted entirely toward larger, more premium vehicles has proven incorrect following the GST revision.

Garg, who is set to become the first Indian to lead Hyundai's operations in India, said there is a narrative going on about GST cuts and their impact on smaller cars. "So what has happened this year? Between January and August, hatches used to contribute 22.4% of total industry sales. September plus October, hatches contribution came down to 20.4%. In October 2025, it was only 20%. For SUVs, the share was 54% between January and August. In September and October, the SUVs are 56.9% and October SUVs are 57% of total sales. I think the story is clear…buyers are aspirations and they are looking to upgrade," he stated.

As perGarg, the compact SUV segment stands to benefit most from the GST revision and sales here are likely to breach 1 lakh units per month milestone soon. "The previous Venue model was taxed at 29% (petrol) and 31% (diesel). Under new GST, this model is taxed at 18%. So the benefit is 11% and 13%. I believe Venue segment has maximum potential from the GST rate cut," he said.

On the company's recent sales performance and its decline in the top-selling ranking list, Garg said capacity constraints and phasing out the old Venue impacted their overall sales performance.

Taking cue from Vodafone Idea, Airtel to approach DoT to settle AGR dues

RAKESH KUMAR @ New Delhi

AFTER Vodafone Idea, Bharti Airtel on Tuesday said it would approach the Department of Telecommunications (DoT)for the settlement of its Adjusted Gross Revenue (AGR) dues.

Bharti Airtel's Vice Chairman and Managing Director Gopal Vittal said the company welcomed the court's recent decision allowing the assessment of Vodafone Idea's AGR dues, including interest and penalties.

In May, telecom operators including Bharti Airtel, Vodafone Idea, and Tata Teleservices had filed a petition seeking a waiver of interest, penalties, and interest on penalties on their pending AGR dues. The plea was, however, dismissed by the court at that time.

Vodafone Idea, in a separate case, received major relief from the Supreme Court on Monday, which clarified that the government is free to consider relief on both additional and reassessed AGR dues.

"We have always said that the AGR judgment which you know we sought reviews on around calculation errors was something that you know having lost was a disappointment for us. So in that sense, we are pleased that this has been allowed for reconciliation by the court. We are now going to be taking it one step at a time. So first we're going to reach out to the government and that is something that the company will do over the course of the coming days," Bharti Airtel, Vice- Chairman and managing director Gopal Vittal said during the company's earnings call.

Earlier, Vodafone Idea had challenged the DoT's demand for an additional ₹9,450 crore in AGR dues, seeking a waiver on interest and penalties. In an amended petition, the company also sought a waiver on penalties and interest, arguing that some components of the dues were still under dispute.

During the company's earnings call, Vittal also commented on the performance of 5G technology, noting that it has not yet lived up to its global promise.

"One of the pain points in the telecom industry worldwide is that 5G has not lived up to what it was meant to be. The primary use case of 5G so far has been speed," he said.

Vittal added that while some use cases such as network slicing have been explored in markets like the US, proper monetisation of 5G has not yet taken off globally.

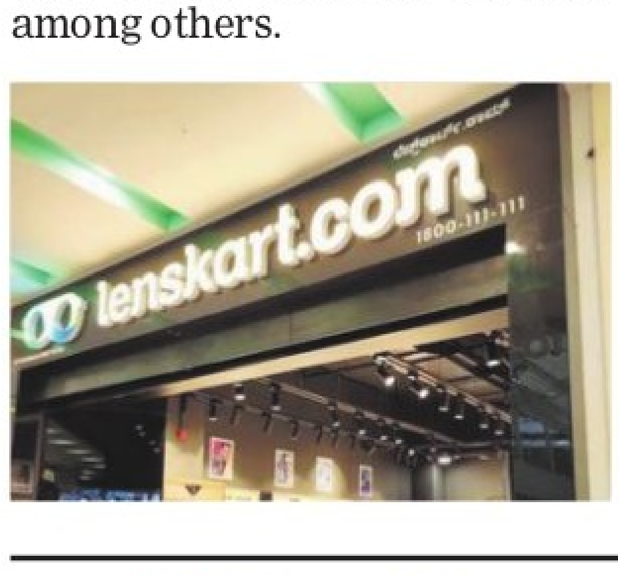
Lenskart IPO receives bids worth ₹1 lakh cr

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

THE initial public offer (IPO) of eyewear major Lenskart Solutions received 28.26 times subscription on the final day of bidding, highlighting confidence investors have in the Indian primary market and in the company despite valuation concerns.

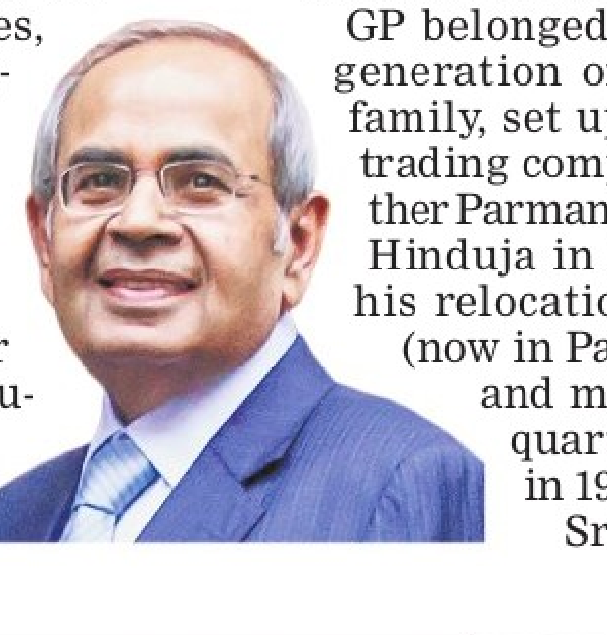
The ₹7,278 crore IPO received bids for over 281 crore shares at the end of Tuesday's bidding session as against 9.97 crore shares on offer, as per BSE data. Lenskart's IPO garnered bids worth over ₹1.1 lakh crore. Earlier this year, LG Electronics' initial share sale broke all records and drew bids worth ₹4.43 lakh crore at the top end of its price band. The retail investors portion fetched 7.54 times subscription, while non-institutional investor category booked 18.23 times. The quota set aside for qualified institutional buyers (QIBs) received 40.35 times the subscription.

As per unofficial grey market activity, the shares are commanding a premium of 12%, indicating a listing gain of ₹49 per share. The IPO price was fixed at ₹382–402 per share. The issue consists of ₹2,150 crore worth of fresh issue and the rest in secondary issuance by promoters and external investors like Japanese powerhouse Softbank, the Singaporean sovereign wealth fund Temasek, and private equity player Kedaara Capital, among others.



Gopichand Hinduja passes away at 85 in London

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai



HINDUJA group chairman Gopichand Parmanand Hinduja, the Indian-origin English businessman and the richest person in the island nation, passed away in a London hospital after a brief spell of illness, on Tuesday.

Hinduja, 85, is survived by his wife Sunita, sons Sanjay and Dheeraj, and daughter Rita. His death, according to a PTI report, was announced by Lord Rami Ranger (a member of the British House of Lords), a close associate of the late British-Indian industrialist, who said, "his passing marks the end of an era, as he was truly a well-wisher of the community and a guiding force".

Fondly known as 'GP' in business circles, he had been a regular feature in the annual Sunday Times rich list, wherein the group has been topping tally for the fourth consecutive year in 2025 with an estimated fortune of 35.3 billion pounds.

Born in 1940 in Sindh in the undivided India, he took over the group co-chairmanship in May 2023, following the death of his brother, Srichand.

GP belonged to the second generation of the Hinduja family, set up primarily as trading company by his father Parmanand Deepchand Hinduja in 1919 following his relocation from Sindh (now in Pakistan) to Iran and moved the headquarters to London in 1979.

Srichand and GP transformed the company from a trading into the multi-billion-dollar conglomerate it is now. And together, the three Hinduja brothers, including Prakash and Ashok, are among the most well-known Indian-origin business families in Britain today.

As a forward-thinking leader, GP directed the Hinduja Group's expansion into power and infrastructure, and power, financial services under , Indusind Bank, which of late landed in an accounting scandal leading to exit of the top management.

Q2FY26 RESULTS

IndiGo loss widens to ₹2,582 crore on forex loss

NEW DELHI: Hit by a depreciating rupee, InterGlobe Aviation, parent company of India's largest airline IndiGo, on Tuesday reported a net loss of ₹2,582 crore for the quarter ending September 2025 (Q2FY26) compared to a loss of ₹987 crore in the same quarter last fiscal. IndiGo had posted a profit of ₹2,161 crore for the quarter ended June 2025.

"Including the currency movement impact pertaining to dollar based future obligations, net loss for the quarter aggregated to ₹25,821 million," said the airline. Revenue from operations grew 9.3% YoY to ₹18,555 crore in the quarter. The airline's yield or rupee earned per kilometre rose 3.2% to ₹4.69 in Q2FY25 from ₹4.55 in the year-ago period. *ENS*

APSEZ net profit surges 29% to ₹3,120 crore

NEW DELHI: Adani Ports and Special Economic Zone (APSEZ) on Tuesday reported a 29% rise in consolidated net profit at ₹3,120 crore for the quarter ended September 2025, driven by strong growth in the logistics, marine and international operations.

The consolidated net profit of the company stood at ₹2,413 crore in the quarter ended September 30, 2024, the company said in a regulatory filing. Total income in the July-September 2025-26 period increased to ₹10,004.06 crore, from ₹7,372.37 crore in the year-ago quarter.

Total expenses in the period under review also increased to ₹6,103.59 crore, from ₹4,433 crore in the year-ago quarter. *ENS*

Shriram Life's new biz premium up 17% in H1

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Chennai

THE Shriram Life Insurance Company Ltd (SLIC) reported a 17% year-on-year growth in individual new business premium (NBP) in H1FY26, rising from ₹542 crore in the first half of FY25 to ₹635 crore in H1 FY26. In comparison, the private industry grew by 8% during the same period.

Sequentially, the SLIC reported a 53% quarter-on-quarter growth in its individual new business annualized premium equivalent (APE) growing to ₹329 crore in Q2FY26 from ₹215 crore in Q1FY26. Retail new business premium grew 47% QoQ to ₹378 crore in Q2 FY26 from ₹257 crore in Q1 FY26.

SLIC's individual new business APE grew 8% YoY to ₹544 crore in H1FY26 from ₹506 crore. Renewal premiums rose by 43% YoY in H1FY26.

Need stronger risk controls for mkt: Sebi chief

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

THE rise of algorithmic and high-frequency trading brings efficiency, but it demands robust risk controls, real-time monitoring and compliance safeguards, Sebi chairman Tuhin Kanta Pandey said on Tuesday.

As per Pandey, stronger controls are needed as the rapid technological change, growing market interconnectedness and rising investor expectations have created fresh complexities for financial intermediaries. "Intermediaries navigate a landscape defined by rapid technological change, interconnected markets, and rising stakeholder expectations," he at an event here on Tuesday. He cautioned that while technology improves speed and access, it magnifies risks and urged brokers, mutual funds, distributors, and advisors to go beyond compliance and proactively strengthen transparency, investor protection, and governance.

ASIANOMICS

CHINA

ANNOUNCES PLANS FOR BOOSTING IMPORTS

China announced an initiative on Tuesday to increase imports, promoting itself as a super-sized market opportunity even as its trade surpluses with other countries swell amid frictions with the United States. While China's supply of manufactured goods to the world is growing, its contribution to global demand is much less significant, with imports barely growing, a dynamic economists have said fuels trade tensions abroad and deflationary pressures back home. Commerce minister Wang Wentao said the "Big Market for all: Export for China" programme would include 10 major events featuring five to six countries per year, aiming to make China "the best export destination" and "open up win-win cooperation". Wang announced the events at a ceremony attended by Premier Li Qiang in Shanghai on the eve of the China International Import Expo (CIIE), which runs November 5-10 in the country's financial hub of Shanghai.

JAPAN

YET TO ACHIEVE DURABLE, WAGE-DRIVEN INFLATION: PM

Japanese Prime Minister Sanae Takaichi said on Tuesday the country has yet to achieve sustainable inflation accompanied by wage gains, signaling her preference for the central bank to go slow in raising interest rates. While consumer inflation continues to hover around 3% due to rising food costs, Japan is still "half way" in achieving sustainable and stable price growth backed by solid wage gains, Takaichi told parliament. She was questioned by Yoshihiko Noda, head of the largest opposition party and a former prime minister, who said preventing the BOJ from raising interest rates could push up import costs and inflation more broadly by weakening the yen. Takaichi also said her administration will "strategically" deploy fiscal spending to increase household incomes, improve consumer sentiment and strengthen the economy.

SOUTH KOREA

OCTOBER INFLATION RISES 2.4%

October reports revealed South Korea's consumer inflation has increased as a weaker won made food and energy costs higher. This situation has supported the argument for the central bank to maintain its interest rate steady while it attempts to slow the rapidly emerging housing market. The announcement followed reports from the Ministry of Data and Statistics, which highlighted that consumer prices had soared by 2.4% compared to the same period last year. This percentage is up from a 2.1% increase in September. This rate surpassed the average forecast of 2.2% from economists surveyed by a reliable source, marking the highest record since July 2024, when prices surged by 2.6%. Core inflation, which excludes volatile energy and food prices, rose to 2.2%, up from 2% in September of this year. Following this progress, sources reported that overall and core inflation are currently above the Bank of Korea's 2% target.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Our clients intend to purchase the Schedule Property from the family of Late Javaraiah S/o. Muniyappa. Any person/s having any claim/s over the Schedule Property or any objection for the purchase of the Schedule Property by our clients may lodge his/her/their claim/s and objection/s to the undersigned with documentary proof in writing within seven (7) days from today, failing which, it will be deemed that there are no claim/s or the objection/s and/or claim/s if any, has/have been given up and our clients will proceed ahead with the transaction of purchasing the entire Schedule Property as being free from any or all claim/s, right/s, encumbrance/s etc.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

Item No.1

All that piece and parcel of the land comprised in **Survey No.46** measuring 3 Acres 20 Guntas situated at Kaggalipura Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru, and totally bounded on the:

East by : Property of Javaraiah in Sy. No.46 measuring 2 Acres; **West by :** Property of Rudrappa in Sy.No.31 and 46; **North by :** Property of Narayanappa and Srirama Reddy in Sy.No.46; and **South by :** Property of Chandrappa in Sy.No.46.

Item No.2

All that piece and parcel of the land comprised in **Survey No.46** measuring 2 Acres situated at Kaggalipura Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru, and totally bounded on the:

East by : Road and Property of Sanjeevappa and Syed; **West by :** Property of Javaraiah in Sy. No.46 measuring 2 Acres and Rudrappa in Sy.No.31 and 46; **North by :** Property of Narayanappa and Srirama Reddy in Sy.No.46; and **South by :** Property of Chandrappa in Sy.No.46

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Place: Bengaluru Dated: 5th November 2025

PUBLIC NOTICE

My Client **SRI. HIMACHALAPATHI H.M,** son of Sri. Manjunathaiah, H.C. resident of No.147, Hunasamaranahalli Village, Hosahalli, Bengaluru - 562157, propose to purchase all that piece and parcel of the lands mentioned in the SCHEDULE hereunder from its present owners **SRI. RAMESH** S/o Sri. Anantharam & **SRI. SRAVAN KUMAR** S/o Lakshmana Reddy. The owners have represented that they have clear and marketable title to the Schedule Property. Any person/persons who claims any right, title or interest of any nature or any lien, charge or enforceable right in relation to the SCHEDULE PROPERTY and/or has/have any objections of any nature to the transaction should lodge such claim and/or objections in writing to the undersigned together with supporting documents within Seven (10) days hereof, failing which it will be presumed that no valid claims or objections subsist and my client would proceed to complete the transaction with the present owners thereof subject to compliance with other statutory and legal formalities.

If any person/s have any objections of any nature they may contact to the below mentioned phone number.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

ITEM No. 1 : All that piece and parcel of agricultural lands bearing (i) Sy No. 92/2 measuring 0-08 guntas, (i) Sy No. 93/2 measuring 1-00 Acre (iii) Sy No. 94/1 measuring 1 Acres 25 Guntas, (iv) Sy No. 95/1 measuring 3-00 Acres (v) Sy No. 96 measuring 4-00 Acres total extent measuring in all about 9 Acres 33 Guntas, alongwith Kharab land, all land situated at Chikkatattamangala Village, Vijayapura Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District and the entire land is bounded on the :- East by : land bearing Sy No. 95/2, 94/2, 93/1, 92/1, West by : land bearing Sy.No. 34, North by : Kondenahalli Village Border, South by : State Highway.

ITEM No. 2 : All that piece and parcel of agricultural lands bearing Sy No. 36, situated at Chikkatattamangala Village, Vijayapura Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District measuring about 4 Acres and the land is bounded on the :- East by : Koramangala Main Road, West by : land bearing Sy.No. 35, North by : Forest Area, South by : State Highway.

Sd/- **Rangaswamy & Associates**
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Mob: 9880812716
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PUBLIC NOTICE

We, Shiraz Pasha and Nayaz Pasha, are the children of late Mohammed Aslam Pasha and Nuzhath Begum. We are residing at No. 8, 1st Cross, Kammanahalli Main Road, Chinappa Layout, Bangalore--84. Our second brother, Mr. Shahwaz Pasha, he got married he is residing separately from us at Flat No.S2, Nehru Road, 1st Cross, Arogyappa Layout, Lingarajapuram, Kammanahalli, Bangalore--560084. Other than our family relationship with Mr. Shahwaz Pasha, we, Shiraz Pasha and Nayaz Pasha, have no business dealings or partnership with him. We are not responsible for any transactions made by our brother, Mr. Shahwaz Pasha. Hence, this publication is issued for the general public.

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O.A. NO. 1013 / 2025

Between :
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Jayanagar Branch
Bengaluru. **... Applicant**
And :
Mr. Ajay Kumar and Others ... Defendant

1. Mr. Ajay Kumar
Aged about 38 years
S/o. Mr. Ramakrishnan
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Splendor Apartment, Modi Builders,
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Medchal Malkajgiri, Telengana - 500 055.
And also Working at :
M/s. Legato Technologies Pvt. Ltd.
Lead Supervisor, At Kokapet,
Hyderabad, Telengana - 500 075

2. Mrs. Jayanthi Patel,
Aged about 34 years,
W/o. Mr. Ajay Kumar
R/at Flat No. 304, Block-B,
Splendor Apartment, Modi Builders,
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Medchal Malkajgiri, Telengana - 500 055.

3. M/s. M.M. Destiny Developers,
A Partnership Firm, Having its Office at
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Kodigehalli, Bengaluru - 560 008.
Represented by its Managing Partner,
Mrs. Mrudhula Jogi,
Aged about 37 years,
D/o. Mr. Subramanyan .V,
and Residing at : Flat No. B-305,
'Ashish J.K. Apartments', Thubarahalli,
Bengaluru - 560 066.

Summons Issued to the Defendants No. 1 to 3 under Rule 23 (VIII) of The Debts Recovery Tribunal (Procedure) Rules, 1993 by Paper Publication

Whereas, the Applicant has instituted an Application under section 19 of The Recovery of Debts and Bankruptcy Act, 1993 against you for recovery of a sum of **Rs. 56,95,371.50 (Rupees Fifty Six Lakhs Ninety Five Thousand Three Hundred Seventy One and Paisa Fifty Only)** together with Current / Future Interest and for other reliefs. The above mentioned Defendant/s is / are therefore, hereby directed to appear before the Tribunal in person or through an Advocate or through Authorised agents in support of their defence to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication **or on 30.12.2025 at 10.30 a.m.** as to why the relief's prayed for should not be granted.

Take notice that in case of default, the Application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal on this **18-09-2025.**

By Order of the Tribunal
Sd/- Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal - 2, Bengaluru.

Can Fin Homes Ltd

Can Fin Homes Ltd (Sponsor: CANARA BANK)
K R Puram Branch

No. 414, Pooja Complex,Old Madras Road,
K R Puram, Bangalore – 560049,
Tel No. 080-25619333/ 7625079185,
Email Id: krpuram@canfinhomes.com
CIN: L85110KA1987PLC008699

DEMAND NOTICE

Under Section 13(2) of "The Securitisation and reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (No. 54 of 2002)"

To,

1. **Kumar H S** S/o: Sugnanachar (Borrower)
2. **Kalavathi** W/o: Kumar (Co-Borrower), # 31/2, 1st Floor, Prajapath Nivas, 2nd A Main, 7th Cross, Vignanagar, Bangalore -560037. 9916442915/988679526.

No. 1 & 2 amongst you have availed a housing loan from our branch against the security of mortgage of the following asset belonging to No.01 & 2. An amount of **Rs.55,46,267/-**(Rupees Fifty Five Lakhs Forty Six Thousand Two Hundred Sixty Seven Only) is due from you, to Can Fin Homes Ltd. as on 31.10.2025 together with future interest at the contracted rate.

Details of the mortgaged Property: All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing Site No.199, Old Khatha No.59/199, PID No.150300400300921599, Hoskote Planning Authority Vide Order No. HPA/LAO/35/2014-15, Dated 07.09.2015 called as Vrunda City Situated at Bagalur Village, Sulibele Hobli, Hoskote Taluk, Bangalore Rural District - 562149, Measuring East to West: 40 Feet and North to South: 30 Feet Totally Measuring 1200 Sq Ft and Bounded On The:East : Site No 198 West : Site No 184, North : 30 Feet Road, South : Site No 200

Registered demand notice was sent to Nos. 1 & 2 amongst you under Section 13 (2) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002, but the same was returned unserved/deceased. The undersigned has, therefore, caused these Notices to be pasted on the premises of the last known addresses of the said Borrower/s as per the said Act. Hence this paper publication. As you have failed to adhere to the terms of the sanction, the account is classified as a Non Performing Asset on **30.10.2025** as per the NHB Guidelines. You are hereby called upon to pay the above said amount with contracted rateof interest thereon from **31.10.2025** within 60 days from the date of this notice, failing which the undersigned will be constrained to Initiate action under SARFAESI Act to enforce the aforesaid security.

Further, the attention of borrowers / guarantors is invited to the provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to them to redeem the secured assets.

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Can Fin Homes Limited

Place: Bangalore,
Date : 04.11.2025

बैंक ऑफ़ इंडिया
Bank of India **BOI**

Bengaluru Zone, # 11, Kempegowda Road, Bangalore-09. Tel: 080-2295 9407/08.
Fax: 080-2228 9054, E-mail: AssetRecovery.Bengaluru@bankofindia.bank.in

Ref. No: BZO/ARB/SALENOTICE/2025-26/AK/72 Date: 30-10-2025

E-AUCTION SALE

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with provision to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of BANK OF INDIA, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 09-12-2025, for recovery of an aggregate amount of Rs.1,94,21,482/- (Rupees One Crore Ninety four Lakhs Twenty One Thousand Four Hundred and Eighty Two) For home Loan (840575110000374) and personal loan (84056021000012) along with further interest thereon @10.20% p.a. compounded with monthly rests, costs and other charges due to BANK OF INDIA, Asset Recovery Branch from borrower/guarantor Mr. Sridhar M.S. and/or Mr. Murali G.

The reserve price, EMD amount and Property details are as mentioned hereunder:

Description of the Immoveable Property	Reserve Price	EMD
Schedule 'A' Property All that piece and parcel of the residential plot bearing No.6 (previously Eastern portion of Plot no 6) situated at Bride Street, Langford town, Bangalore 560025 admeasuring all about 3175.06 sq.feet and property is bounded on the: East by: Private property West by: Common Passage to ingress and egress and property belonging to legal heirs of Late Smt.Chitra Sukumar North by: Property bearing no 6/1 belonging to Sri Prithvi Jayasurya South by: Private property **Schedule 'B' property** A total of approximately 454 square feet undivided share, right, title and interest in land i.e the Schedule 'A' property **Schedule 'C' property** All that piece and parcel of the residential Apartment bearing No 6/7, on the southern side of the Third Floor, in the building known as " Padma Palace" Constructed on the Schedule A Property, having super built up area of 1400 Sq.ft (1250 Sq.ft of built up area), along with one car parking space in the Ground Floor and the Apartment is construction of RCC roofing, Vitrified Flooring, Brick Wall, including other amenities provided to the entire Apartment.	**Rs.1,62,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore Sixty Two Lakhs)**	**Rs.16,20,000/- (Rupees Sixteen Lakhs Twenty Thousand)**

To the best knowledge and information available with the Authorised Officer, there is no encumbrance on the property referred above. However, the intending bidders should make their own independent inquiries regarding the encumbrances, title of the property and to inspect & satisfy them.

The auction will be online E-Auction Sale/Bidding and shall be done only through "Online Electronic Bidding" process through the website **https://BAANKNET.com** For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in **https://www.BAANKNET.com** or **https://www.bankofindia.co.in/tenders.**

The Authorised Officer has the absolute right and discretion to accept or reject any bid or adjourn/postpone/cancel the sale/modify any terms and conditions of the sale without any prior notice and assigning any reason.

Date & Time of E-auction: **09-12-2025 between 11.00 am to 05.00 pm** (with unlimited extension of 10 minutes if bidding continues, until sale is concluded).

Sd/- Chief Manager & Authorized Officer

Can Fin Homes Ltd

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DEMAND NOTICE

Under Section 13(2) of "The Securitisation and reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (No. 54 of 2002)"

To,

1. **Balaraj S** S/o: Satyanarayan (Borrower)
2. **Padmavathi** W/o: Satyanarayan, (Co-Borrower), 79, 3rd Floor, Beside Govt. School, Airport Road Chikkanahalli, Bangalore -562149. 8792070133/6360217194

No. 1 & 2 amongst you have availed a housing loan from our branch against the security of mortgage of the following asset belonging to No.01 & 2. An amount of **Rs.33,37,547/-**(Rupees Thirty Three Lakhs Thirty Seven Thousand Five Hundred Forty Seven Only) is due from you, to Can Fin Homes Ltd. as on 31.10.2025 together with future interest at the contracted rate.

Details of the mortgaged Property: All that piece and parcel of the Property Site bearing No.14, Khatha No.160/14-15, Situated at Tarabanahalli Village, Huralichikkanahalli Village Panchyath, Hesarughatta Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Measuring East to West: 40 ft and North to South: 28.75 Ft., Totally Measuring 1150 Sq.ft and bounded on the: East : Site No. 20 and 21, West : Road, North : Site No. 15, South : House

Registered demand notice was sent to Nos. 1 & 2 amongst you under Section 13 (2) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002, but the same was returned unserved/deceased. The undersigned has, therefore, caused these Notices to be pasted on the premises of the last known addresses of the said Borrower/s as per the said Act. Hence this paper publication. As you have failed to adhere to the terms of the sanction, the account is classified as a Non Performing Asset on **30.10.2025** as per the NHB Guidelines. You are hereby called upon to pay the above said amount with contracted rateof interest thereon from **31.10.2025** within 60 days from the date of this notice, failing which the undersigned will be constrained to Initiate action under SARFAESI Act to enforce the aforesaid security.

Further, the attention of borrowers / guarantors is invited to the provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to them to redeem the secured assets.

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Can Fin Homes Limited

Place: Bangalore,
Date : 04.11.2025

Can Fin Homes Ltd

Can Fin Homes Ltd (Sponsor: CANARA BANK)
Kengeri Branch

#445, Ground Flr, 4th Main 5th Cross,
Near Shreya Hospital,Kengeri Satellite Town,
Bangalore-560 060, Ph No. 080-28486098/99
Mob: 7625079154
e-Mail: kengeri@canfinhomes.com
CIN No. L85110KA1987PLC008699

POSSESSION NOTICE [Rule 8 (1)]

(For Immovable Property)

The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of Can Fin Homes Ltd. under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of the powers under the said Act and Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued a demand notice dated **30-01-2025** calling upon the borrowers **Mr.Anbarasan T and Mrs.Anitha A,** Guarantor **Mr. T Balamurugan** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.30,96,272/-** (Rupees Thirty Lakhs Ninety Six Thousand Two Hundred and Seventy Two Only) with further interest at contractual rates, till date of realization within 30 days from the date of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 (of the Security Interest Enforcement Rules, 2002) on this **30th day of October of the year 2025.**

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of Can Fin Homes Ltd for an amount of **Rs.30,96,272/-** (Rupees Thirty Lakhs Ninety Six Thousand Two Hundred and Seventy Two Only) and interest thereon.

Description of immovable property

All the piece and parcel of Site No.43 & 44, old Assessment No/33, New Assessment No.33/5 suitated at Manganahalli Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore. Measuring East to West 40 feet And North to South: On Eastern side 40 Feet & on the western side 35 feet. Totally measuring 1500 Sq. Feet.Bounded By: East: Site No.23 and 24,West: Road,North: Others Property,South: Site No.42

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Can Fin Homes Ltd

Date :04-11-2025
Place: Bangalore

Can Fin Homes Ltd

Can Fin Homes Ltd (Sponsor: CANARA BANK)
MARATHAHALLI BRANCH

No: 14, Krishna Towers, Outer Ring Road Cross,
(Service Road) Marathahalli, Bengaluru – 560037
Ph No. 080-25401332/ 080-43942422
Mob: 7625079147
e-mail ID : marathahalli@canfinhomes.com
CIN: L85110KA1987PLC008699

DEMAND NOTICE

Under Section 13(2) of "The Securitisation and reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (No. 54 of 2002)

To,

1.Sri. Iqbal S/o.Sri.Nanne Sab (Borrower) Aged about 55 years
2. Smt. Reshma W/o. Sri. Iqbal (Co-Borrower) Aged about 49 years
Both are residing at: No.2, Sy No.104/7, Kodagithirumalapura Village, Hesaraghatta Hobli, Yelahanka taluk, Bangalore-560 088, Karnataka.
3.Sri.Suhel Pasha S/o. Sri.Iqbal (Guarantor), No.2, Sy No.104/7, Kodagithirumalapura Village, Hesaraghatta Hobli, Yelahanka taluk, Bangalore-560 088, Karnataka.

No. 1 & 2 amongst you have availed a housing loan from our branch against the security of mortgage of the following asset belonging to No.1 & 2 of/Amongst you. An amount of **Rs.23,18,696/-** (Rupees Twenty Three Lakhs Eighteen Thousand Six Hundred and Ninety Six Only) is due from you to Can Fin Homes Ltd. as on 31.10.2025 together with future interest at the contracted rate.

Details of the mortgaged Assets : All that piece and parcel of the immovable Property bearing Site No.02, V.P.Khatha Assessment No.104/7, Old 104/1, New Sy No.104/7, Situated at Kodagithirumala pura Village, Hesaraghatta Hobli , Presently Yelahanka Taluk Previously Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore Urban Dist, Measuring East to West: 64 Feet or 19.51 Meter And North to South: 46 Feet or 14.02 Meter, In All Totally Measuring 2944 Square Feet or 273.50 Square Meters, Bounded By: **East By :** Remaining Portion Of Same Property No.104/7, **West By :** Property Belongs to Narasimhamurthy, **North By :**Road And Remaining Portion of Same Property No.104/7, **South By :** Property Belongs to Srinivas.

Registered demand notice was sent to Nos. 1 & 2 amongst you under Section 13 (2) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002, but the same was returned unserved. The undersigned has, therefore, caused these Notices to be pasted on the premises of the last known addresses of the said Borrower/s as per the said Act. Hence this paper publication .As you have failed to adhere to the terms of the sanction,the account is classified as a Non Performing Asset on **29.10.2025** as per the NHB Guidelines. You are hereby called upon to pay the above said amount with contracted rate of interest thereon from **31.10.2025** within 60 days from the date of this notice, failing which the undersigned will be constrained to Initiate action under SARFAESI Act to enforce the afore said security. Further, the attention of borrowers / guarantors is invited to the provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to them to redeem the secured assets.

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Can Fin Homes Limited

Place: Bangalore,
Date : 04.11.2025

Government of Karnatka

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER MINOR IRRIGATION AND GROUND WATER DEVELOPMENT DIVISION, KALABURAGI

e-mail: midnglb@rediffmail.com, Ph.08472 - 220196

IFT No. EE/MI&GWD D/KAL/PB-1/2025-26/ 3051 Date : 03-11-2025

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION (IFT KW-4)

1) DETAIL OF WORK : THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER,MI & GWD DIVISION, KALABURAGI INVITES TENDER FROM THE ELIGIBLE TENDERERS FOR THE WORK OF LIFT IRRIGATION SCHEME NEAR BEERANALLI VILLAGE FOR DROUGHT AFFECTED AREAS IN SEDAM TALUKA KALABURAGI DISTRICT ON TURNKEY BASIS UNDER 4702 L.I.S. FOR THE YEAR 2025-26. 2) Amount of Estimate : **Rs.7192.23 Lakhs,** 3) Eligibility of contractor : Class-1, 4) Details of Tender application Amount and EMD Amount : Tender fee As per KPPP Portal EMD **Rs. 71.93 Lakhs** 5) Last Date & Time for Receipt of tenders : **24.11.2025 upto 17.30 hours,** 6) Date & Time for opening of Techical Bid : **25.11.2025 up to 17.30 hours** 7) Date & Time for opening of Financial Bid : **27.11.2025 up to 11.00 hours** 8) Addl. Information : Executive Engineer M.I. & GWD Division Kalaburagi, 9) Address of E-Portal : https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in)

Sd/- Executive Engineer
Minor Irrigation and Ground Water Development Division, Kalaburagi

DIPR/Kalaburagi/675/2025-26/Deshpande Publicity

KSEB **KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD LIMITED - E-TENDER NOTICE**

O/o the Executive Engineer, PMU, Electrical Circle, Nilambur, Malappuram
E Tender ID No.2025_KSEB_813802 PAC:Rs. 1,21,58,011/- Last Date: 21.11.2025 05.00 pm
E Tender ID No.2025_KSEB_813801 PAC:Rs. 1,34,74,606/- Last Date: 21.11.2025 05.00 pm
O/o the Deputy Chief Engineer, Electrical Circle, Nilambur, Malappuram
E Tender ID No.2025_KSEB_815692 PAC:Rs. 4,98,87,128/- Last Date: 21.11.2025 05.00 pm
E Tender ID No.2025_KSEB_815691 PAC:Rs. 2,76,55,063/- Last Date: 21.11.2025 05.00 pm
Visit www.etenders.kerala.gov.in and www.kseb.in
Ref : PR/MC1/E586/E-tender/2025

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
(Infrastructure Development, Ports and Inand Water Transport Department)
Karnataka Maritime Board
office of the Executive Engineer, Port & Fisheries Division, "Shamili Hall"
2nd floor, Ambalapady, Udupi-576103
Tel No: 0820-2532961, Email: pfdudupi@gmail.com

No:EE: P&F: DVN: Udupi:AE:Tender Notification-14/2025-26:
Dt. 27-10-2025

Invitation for tenders (IFT)

Tender Notification

On behalf of Governor of Karnataka, **"Construction of 20 Metric Tonnes Cold Storage and Ice Plant in Bellari District (Tender Amount Rs.120.70 Lakhs) & Establishment of water, soil and microbiological testing laboratory in Bellari District (Tender Amount Rs.75.82 Lakhs)"** Tenders are invited in E-Procurement to execute the works. To participate in E-Procurement and for more information may be obtained in **(http: //kppp.karnataka.gov.in)** website. Last date for Tender Submission is 12-11-2025 at 5.00 PM. For further extension refer above mentioned website. No separate paper notification will be issued.

Executive Engineer,
Port and Fisheries Division, Udupi

यूनियन बैंक ऑफ इंडिया Union Bank of India
A Government of India Undertaking

SARJAPUR ROAD BRANCH

NOTICE TO THE BORROWER INFORMING ABOUT SALE (30 DAYS NOTICE) RULE 6 (2)/8 (6) OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES 2002

To Date: 30-10-2025

1. M Harikrishnama Rao, Flat no.402, 4th Floor, BM Reveria Apartment, Kundanahalli, Near Ryan International School, Bangalore – 560 037
2. A Prasanthi W/o M Hariskrishnama Rao, Flat no.402, 4th Floor, BM Reveria Apartment, Kundanahalli, Near Ryan International School, Bangalore – 560 037

Sir/Madam,

Sub – Sale of property belonging to Ms. M Harikrishnama Rao and A Prasanthi W/o M Hariskrishnama Rao for realization of amount due to Bank under the SECURITIZATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

Union Bank of India, Sarjapur Road Branch, the secured creditor, caused a demand notice dated **26.03.2025** under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002, calling upon you to pay the dues within the time stipulated therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the period stipulated, the Authorised Officer, has taken symbolic possession of the secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 6 / 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **02.09.2025**.

Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to bank. As such, it has become necessary to sell the below mentioned property by holding public e-auction after 30 days from the date of receipt of this notice through online mode. The date and time of eauction along with the Reserve price of the property and the details of the service provider, in which the e-auction to be conducted, shall be informed to you separately.

Therefore, if you pay the amount due to the bank along with subsequent interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by bank before the date of publication of sale notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of the property and you can redeem your property as stipulated in Section 13(8) of the Act

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY

"Residential Flat no.402, 4th Floor, A Block, Near Rayan International School, Kundanahalli, KR Puram Hobli, Bengaluru – 560 037". East by : Road and private property, West by : Road, North by :Road and private property, South by :Private property

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Union Bank of India

Date: 31.10.2025
Place: Bangalore

BSF

कार्यालय महानिरीक्षक : सहायक प्रशिक्षण केंद्र सीमा सुरक्षा बल बैंगलुरु–63

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL: STC BSF BENGALURU-63

// AUCTION NOTICE //

A public auction of condemned/unserviceable Provisioning Stores, Training/Defence stores, Tentage stores, Welfare stores, Magazine, Packing material, Newspaper, MT/Bty/TTF/Burnt oil etc. held with Subsidiary Training Centre (STC) BSF Bangalore will be held at STC BSF, Yelahanka Bangalore on **25th November 2025 at 1100 hrs**.

2. All interested bidders are requested to attend the auction on the scheduled date and time.

3. All the bidders will have to deposit **Rs.5000/-** (Rupees Five Thousand only) as Earnest Money before commencement of the auction. The amount of earnest money will be returned/adjusted after finalization of auction.

4. The participating bidders must be in possession of **Aadhar Card & GST registration Certificate** issued by appropriate authority.

5. The successful bidder will have to deposit the sale value of the auctioned stores on the spot and stores to be lifted within 12 hours after completion of auction under their own arrangements. No transport will be provided by this institution.

6. In case, successful bidder fail to deposit the cost of the stores on spot, his earnest money will be forfeited.

7. The decision of the Inspector General, STC BSF Bangalore shall be final in all the matters.

8 The Inspector General STC BSF Bangalore reserves the right to accept or reject the auction without assigning any reason.

Sd/- DC/PROV
FOR INSPECTOR GENERAL
STC BSF BANGALORE
28th OCT 2025

CBC 19110/11/0081/2526

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are informed that My client **Mr. Shivakumar R** S/o Raju G, Residing at No.50, MCT Quarters, NYT Layout, Mysore Road, Bengaluru South, Bengaluru-560026 hereby informs that, the Original Registered Sale Deed dated 21.11.2017 bearing Doc No.CMP-1-05552/2017-18 Book-I CD No. CMPD189 in the office of SRO Basavanagudi (Chamarajpete), Bengaluru, which have been lost/misplaced near MCT Quarters, NYT Layout, Mysore Road, Bengaluru on 02.11.2025. My client has also lodged a police complaint No.1881326/2025 on 03.11.2025 before Bengaluru City Police. Any person/s in possession of the aforesaid document may return the same to me or anyone having any sort of claim over the said property may lodge their objections in writing within 7 days from this day to the undersigned.

Rajesh. S.R, Advocate
Office at No.1470, 17th Main, 40 feet Road, Muneshwara Block, Bengaluru-560026. Mob:9845327675

Date : 04.11.2025, **Place :** Bangalore.

PUBLIC NOTICE

I the undersigned advocate on behalf of my client **Smt.Reshma and others** have filed the above petition for the death certificate of one **Sri. Gaib sha S/o Late Khadar, was died on 28-11-2017** at R/at, Razak sab palya, Bagalur post,Jala Hobli, Yelahanka Talluk, Bangalore Urban District. if any parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same can appear before the Hon'ble Additional Civil Judge and J.M.F.C at Devanahalli and the date hearing **on 17.12.2025 at 11.00 A.M in Crl Mis.No. 525/2025.**

By Order of the Court, Sd/- Chief Ministerial Officer
Civil Judge & JMFC Court, Devanahalli
Siddiq Pasha. J Advocate

PUBLIC NOTICE

The general public are hereby informed that our client Smt. G.Vijayalakshmi W/o. M.Ramesh, Aged about 52 years, R/o. No.136/10, 6th 'A' cross, Sri Hari Kalyana Mantapa, Banashankari 3rd stage, Bengaluru-560 085, Bangalore has lost the original Registered sale deed dated : 23-11-2006 which was registered as document No.BAS-1-22226/2006-07 in Book-I stored in CD No.BASD289 at the office of the Sub-Registrar, Bangalore South Taluk executed by Smt. Ammayamma and others in respect of the schedule property is lost/misplaced by our client. In this connection a police Complaint has been lodged on behalf of our clients on 28-01-2025 through online, vide lost reporting bearing No.1451298/2025. If any person/s come across the above said document or if anybody is having possession of the said documents or if anybody has any claims over the above said property, kindly approach with documents within 15 days from the date of this publication to my office between 10 A.M. to 6.00 P.M. If the said documents is misused by anybody, it shall not be binding on our client and he/she/they shall be doing so at his/their own costs, risks and consequences

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the immovable property site NO.14 katha No.27 measuring East-West: 30 feet, North-South : 40 feet in all totally measuring 1200 Sq.ft. situated at 'SAmruddhi Layout', Basapura village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and bounded on East by: Site No13, West by: 50 feet road, North by: Site No.9, South by: 25 feet road.

M.C.Mahesh, Advocate,
Office Address: #167, M.Rajanna Building,
1st Main, 4th Cross, Opp. Road to Adarsh
Palm Meadows, Varthur Main Road,
Ramagondanahalli, Bengaluru-560066,
Mobile: 9880346433.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client proposes to purchase the property more particularly described in the schedule hereunder from present owners **(1) Sri. Hebbal Basavaraju Fakrirappa, (2) Sri. Tadlagi Yellappa Siddappa, (3) Sri. Tadlagi Parasappa Siddappa, (4) Sri. Veeresh, (5) Sri. Ullavaiah Hiremutt Rudraiah (6) Sri. Gurupuraiah Shivaputraiah Sureban and (7) Sri. Hindinamani Devappa Yellappa.** The owners represented that they have clear and marketable title to the Schedule Property. Any person/persons who claims any right, title or interest of any nature or any lien, charge or enforceable right in relation to the Schedule Property and/or has/have any objections of any nature to the transaction should lodge such claim and/or objections in writing to the undersigned together with supporting documents within fifteen (15) days hereof, failing which it will presumed that no valid claims or objections subsist and my client would proceed to complete the transaction with the present owners thereof subject to compliance with other statutory and legal formalities.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the below mentioned survey numbers lands situated at N. M. Tadasa Village, Dundasi Hobli, Shiggaon Taluk, Haveri District, Karnataka State.

Sy.No.	Extent A - G
98/1+2+3+4+5+6	4 - 18
98/1+2+3+4+5K	5 - 00
98/1+2+3+4+5B	5 - 00
99/2A	2 - 00
99/2B	1 - 36
99/2D	3 - 35
99/2A/1	3 - 36
99/2K	4 - 37
100/2+3+5+21	8 - 33
103/1A	2 - 11
103/2B	4 - 19
103/1D	1 - 02.08
103/1F	1 - 02.08
103/1E	1 - 02.08
TOTAL	49 - 32.08

Sd/- **G Rangaswamy,** Advocate
No. 435, Balaji Gokula, 12th Main, 4th B Cross,
West of Chord Road, Behind Kulkarni's Medzonne,
Rajajinagar 1st Block, Bangalore-560 086.
Mob: 98808 12716
Bangalore. Date : 04/11/2025

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

OFFICE OF THE RECOVERY OFFICER-I/II DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL BANGALORE (DRT 2)

4th Floor, BSNL Building, Telephone House,
Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560001

DEMAND NOTICE

FORM NO.14
[See Regulation 33(2)]
By Regd. A/D, Dasti failing which by Publication.

NOTICE UNDER SECTIONS 25 TO 28 OF THE RECOVERY OF DEBTS & BANKRUPTCY ACT, 1993 AND RULE 2 OF SECOND SCHEDULE TO THE INCOME TAX ACT, 1961.

RC/335/2022 OA No. 34/2017
Loan A/c No. PHR015100380077
AXIS BANK
Versus
ROHIT J & OTHER

To

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This is to notify that as per the Recovery Certificate issued in pursuance of orders passed by the Presiding Officer, **Debts Recovery Tribunal Bangalore (DRT 2) in OA/34/2017** an amount of **Rs. 33,19,572/-** (Rupees Thirty Three Lakhs Nineteen Thousand Five Hundred Seventy Two Only) along with pendentellite and future interest **@ 12%** Compound Interest Yearly w.e.f. **19.10.2016** and cost till realization has become due against you (Jointly and Severally/Fully/Limited).

2. You are hereby directed to pay the above sum within 15 days of the receipts of the notice, failing which the recovery shall be made in accordance with the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 and Rules there under.

3. Your are hereby ordered to declare on an affidavit the particulars of yours assets on or before the next date of hearing.

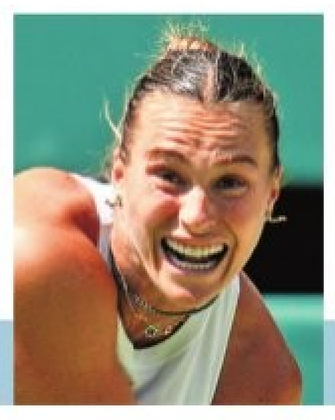
4. You are hereby ordered to appear before the undersigned with in 15 days from the date of this publication.

5. In addition to the sum aforesaid, you will also be liable to pay: (a) Such interest as is payable for the period commencing immediately after this notice of the certificate/execution proceedings. (b) All costs, charges and expenses incurred in respect of the service of this notice and warrants and other processes and all other proceedings taken for recovering the amount due.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Tribunal on this **date: 17.12.2022.**

Recovery Officer
Debts Recovery Tribunal,
Bangalore (DRT 2)

Sabalenka versus Kyrgios in "Battle of the Sexes" exhibition tie



Top-ranked **Aryna Sabalenka** will play former Wimbledon finalist Nick Kyrgios in a 'Battle of the Sexes' exhibition match in Dubai on December 28. After Sabalenka confirmed during the US Open that discussions for the match were underway, both players on Tuesday posted logistical details on their social media channels.

TOP OF THE WORLD

FORMIDABLE FORCE BEHIND CHAMPS

India women's team coach Amol Muzumdar basks in WC glory

GOMESH S @ Navi Mumbai

WHEN Amol Muzumdar returned to his Vile Parle East home with his family after celebrating India's World Cup victory with the team late on Monday night, he little did he realise that the party was not over. At least not just yet. The India women's head coach was welcomed with music played by a band and loud crackers. Sweets were distributed by his neighbours and what seemed even more astonishing was that there was a cricketing tribute as well.

Muzumdar entered his apartment with people standing on either side of the road, holding up a cricket bat -- a beautiful guard of honour. Then came the garlands and autographs. No matter how late or exhausted he was, he still was patient and obliged each one with a smile. This is essence is Amol Muzumdar. A domestic legend who never got a chance to play for India, just because he belonged to the same generation as Sachin Tendulkar, VVS Laxman, Sourav Ganguly, and Rahul Dravid. Year after year, he would pile on runs — 11167 to be precise, including 30 centuries — but still he was ignored. His 171 first-class matches spanned across the three teams — Mumbai, Assam and Andhra — before he hung up his boots.

For over 20 years, he was always quiet and an understated student of the game who never hogged the limelight. He loved the sport, played it with dignity and at times it was all out of passion. Sunday was the moment when he basked in the glory. Almost three decades after his first-class debut, Muzumdar carved his name in the annals of Indian cricket. Not as a player but as a coach of the World Cup.

Muzumdar knows that, too. Which is why, when someone asked about his cricketing career arc and whether the World Cup win is a redemption of sorts, he replied in his usual demeanour: "Dramatic nahi banna yaar (Don't make it so dramatic)." However, even for someone like Muzumdar, who always keeps his emotions in check, this home World Cup brought them out of the Mumbaikar. So much so that he is even a little embarrassed to let it out in public.

> **It is a watershed moment. Not just for women's cricket, but Indian cricket. This should be an inspiration for all those who want to take cricket as a profession.**
>
> — Amol Muzumdar

As Amanjot Kaur hit out the winning runs against Australia in the semifinal, he let out the biggest roar of his life, celebrating with arms aloft before embracing his captain, Harmanpreet Kaur. On the same night, Kaur would reveal that the coach let the players know in the dressing room how much he was disappointed after the loss against England — she did so with a laugh, standing next to Muzumdar, who was even more embarrassed, trying to underplay it all. "Post that, what grit and determination the girls have shown has been phenomenal. Just phenomenal. Beating New Zealand in a virtual quarter-finals, then semi-finals against Australia, and now against South Africa in the finals. Unbelievable," Muzumdar said, standing in front of the Indian dressing room two hours after India had won the World Cup.

This was not a perfect campaign. Muzumdar would be the first to admit that. But the impact Muzumdar had in the dressing room was immense. Since Ramesh Powar took over from WV Raman in mid-2021, there was uncertainty among players. Powar lost the job after the 2022 World Cup, and Hrishikesh Kanitkar was interim head coach for over a year before Muzumdar took over in late 2023. Since then, the core coaching staff have remained the same. "Sir's contribution in the last two and a half years has been amazing. A lot changed in our dressing room after his arrival. Before that, coaches were changing frequently; we didn't know how to bring things forward. But after sir came, everything became stable and smooth. He gets a lot of credit for building this team. He made us practice day and night, repeating the things we needed to improve. His contribution has been great for the entire team. I'm really happy that we got the opportunity to work with him," Kaur said.

On Sunday, he took it upon himself to say what the players — playing their biggest game of their lives — need to hear. In the team huddle before the toss on Sunday, he told the players: "For the next seven hours, we cut out the noise. We cut the noise out of our lives. We create our own bubble here. We step into it, and we finish that. No more stories (from) outside, we write our own stories. You will write your own story tonight. Let's stay in the bubble for the next seven hours and let's create history."

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Chess is an escape from life: Allam

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Mohamed Allam | ETERI KUBLASHVILI-FIDE

GUKESH PAIRS UP WITH UPTON

D Gukesh, who has had a challenging year with respect to results, will be at home for the first time since he became the youngest world champion last year. To help him navigate the World Cup, he has turned towards a familiar person. Mental conditioning guru, Paddy Upton, who played a pivotal hand in the teen becoming world champion last year, will be on speed dial throughout the tournament.

Select results (Rd 2, Game 1)

D Gukesh drew with Kazybek Nogerbek, R Praggnanandhaa drew with Temur Kuybokarov, Arjun Erigaisi bt Martin Petrov, Vincent Keymer bt Vladislav Kovalev, Levon Aronian bt Aronyak Ghosh, Vidit Gujrathi drew with Faustino Oro, Georg Meier bt Volodar Murzin.

A FEW days before the World Cup began, Mohamed Allam took two flights to reach India's West coast. The first flight took him from Amman to Bahrain. After a very short layover, the next took him from Bahrain to Goa.

His journey, though, began a day before he reached Amman. "I travelled from Jenin City in the West Bank to Amman via the border," he says. "I spent a day in Amman before my flight to India."

That 150km trip between the West Bank and Amman is sandwiched by the border (King Hussein Bridge). It's this border Allam has to take whenever he wishes to participate in an international event. If he's lucky, the border will be open. If he's unlucky, the border may not be open. Last year, when he wanted to go to Hungary for the chess Olympiad, his departure was delayed. "We missed the first round," he says.

In isolation, it is a minor inconvenience for the Candidate Master with an ELO rating of 2112. But when you listen to the only Palestinian at this year's World Cup talk about his lived experiences on the West Bank, it hits you. For the 24-year-old, the game represents something fundamental. "It's an escape from life for me," he says. "A paradise you can live in for sometime (before you go back)."

Going back in this context refers to Jenin City on the West Bank. Before Jenin City, it was the refugee camp in Jenin where Allam was born. It's where he was given the gift of chess 'by my father'. "I started playing when I was nine," he says. "I saw my father play, I got interested, he saw I had some talent... that's how it began."

A month after he started fiddling with the chess board at home inside the camp, he featured in an age-group Palestine Championships. "I won that," he says. "It was a big surprise at home. But the chess scene wasn't all that prominent." Now? "The internet and tech has meant a lot more people play these days." He himself depends a lot on the internet for training. He doesn't have a proper coach so he looks to videos put out by a lot of GMs rated in the 2600 range to sharpen his skills.

He has faced unimaginable problems to get this far — an inability to train properly, access to tournaments as well as quality partners to train with, restrictions that come with living in the West Bank, getting displaced by the conflict last year, seeing your house being damaged — but "I'm an optimistic person," he says.

That kind of optimism shines through during the 15-minute conversation. Even when he's talking about Israel and the ongoing conflict, he has a smile on his face. "Life continues, you go through bad situations. You pass them. Why be sad?"

He's at his happiest — his safe space — when he plays chess or studies mathematics, his other passion. "The thing about chess is you are constantly trying to figure out what the best move is, that exercise gives me joy," the 24-year-old says. "It's like math. You try to figure out what's happening, you go deeper in the position, you play your best moves, that makes me happy."

He has featured in the Olympiad multiple times but this is his first World Cup.

"It's so peaceful like every sport. Like a way to get away from the world for one or two hours. A paradise you can live in for sometime. You play like the world is perfect. I have played in Olympiads before, three times. But the experience of a World Cup is different because you can learn about the dynamics better. You can sacrifice two knights for two rooks, for example. You learn, analyse and get better. It's an opportunity to grow."

His hunger for growth was on display on Monday when he went to the playing hall as a visitor to take in the first round's tiebreak games. He was eliminated by Sweden's Nils Grandelius, a GM who has authored courses (one of the courses Allam referred to before coming to the tournament was Grandelius).

"To me," he says, "chess is peace. You play like the world is perfect."

And that is what sport can do every now and then.

Asia Cup row: Surya fined, Rauf banned for two matches

AGENCIES @ Dubai

INDIA'S T20I captain captain Suryakumar Yadav and Pakistan pacer Haris Rauf were on Tuesday found guilty of breaching the ICC code of conduct at the Asia Cup in the UAE and were slapped with sanctions for their actions.

Rauf copped two financial penalties of 30 per cent each for two separate incidents during matches against India, leading to a two-match ban in the upcoming ODI series against South Africa on November 4 and 6. India skipper Suryakumar has also been fined 30 per cent of his match fees for "bringing the game to disrepute" for his comments supporting the Indian armed forces and showing solidarity with victims of Pahalgam terror attack.

In the September 14 game, Rauf was found guilty of the same offence and fined 30 per cent of his match fee, resulting in two demerit points.

AGE/COMPETITION FACTOR

53kg could be a tough ask for Mirabai by the time LA Games begins

FIROZ MIRZA @ Chennai

WITH the International Weightlifting Federation (IWF) dropping 48kg from the 2028 Los Angeles Olympics, India's star lifter Mirabai Chanu has been forced to change her weight category twice in a year to stay in contention for the Games. Mirabai, who won a silver at the 2020 Tokyo Olympics in the 49kg, had dropped down to 48kg after the IWF axed her pet category from the Olympics. She won a silver medal in the new weight division at the World Championships last month. Now, she has to shift to 53kg if she wants to compete in the quadrennial event.

Despite the latest development, head coach Vijay Sharma claimed the change will be a blessing in disguise for the Manipuri weightlifter but it could also turn out to be a difficult proposition for her as she could face stiff competition not only from the 53kg regulars but also those who switch to it from 48kg to keep their Olympic dreams alive. Given the fact that Mirabai will be 34 in 2028 could also work against her if she qualifies for the Games.

"It's a very good thing for Mira," head coach Sharma told this daily. Explaining the benefits, Sharma said, "Mira has been consistently competing in the 48kg and 49kg since 2012 and this has been making it difficult for her to maintain the weight. Bulking up will only help her improve muscle mass, which in turn will strengthen her muscles thus making her less injury prone."

The head coach said his ward will continue to compete in the 48kg till the 2026 Asian Games. The new categories will also come into effect from August 1, 2026. "She recently dropped down to 48kg and this was turning out to be difficult for her. After the Asian Games, we will have two years to prepare and qualify for the Olympics. In my opinion, two years will be enough time for us to adjust to the new weight division," added the coach.

The women's Olympic categories now include 53kg, 61kg, 69kg, 77kg, 86kg, +86kg while the men will compete in the 65kg, 75kg, 85kg, 95kg, 110kg, +110kg weight classes.

Mirabai's best show in snatch is 88kg, which she recorded during the Paris Olympics where she missed the bronze medal by a whisker and finished fourth. She also lifted the same weight at the 2022 Commonwealth Games to clinch the gold medal. In the clean and jerk section, she created a world record by lifting 119kg at the 2020 Asian Championships, which was later broken. Her best overall lift of 205kg also came in the same edition of the continental event.

In her silver medal finish at the recently-held Worlds in the 48kg, Mirabai lifted 84kg in snatch and heaved 115kg in the clean and jerk section for a total lift of 199kg. In the same event, Kang Hyon Gyong of North Korea lifted a total of 214kg (93 in snatch and 121 in C&J) for the gold. Romanian lifter Cambei Mihaela Valentina lifted 208kg (94+114) for silver while Thailand's Khambao Surodchana heaved 200kg total (90+110) for bronze.

Given the recent show at the Worlds, she can finish on the podium in the 53kg division if she matches her best shows but for that to happen, she not only needs to stay fit but also defy age by the time the Games are held.

MIRABAI'S BEST

Snatch:	88kg
Clean and jerk:	119kg
Total:	205kg

2025 Worlds medallists (53kg)

Gold: Kang Hyon Gyong of North Korea 214kg (93+121J)

Silver: Romanian Cambei Mihaela Valentina 208kg (94+114)

Bronze: Thailand's Khambao Surodchana 200kg (90+110)

Note: Mirabai lifted 84kg in snatch and heaved 115kg in C&J for a total lift of 199kg and won a silver (48kg) at the same event.

EXPRESS READ

Ashwin ruled out of BBL15 due to injury

CHENNAI: Former India cricketer R Ashwin's much-anticipated foray into Australian Big Bash League has been stalled by a knee injury with the off-spinner ruled out of the entire season with Sydney Thunder. Ashwin had retired from international cricket late last year and from the IPL in August 2025 to focus on playing in T20 leagues across the world, including BBL, The Hundred and SA20.

Serbian football coach dies during a match

BELGRADE: Mladen Zizovic, the coach of Serbian top-division football club FK Radnicki 1923, died after collapsing from a heart attack during a match. He was 44. "With the deepest sorrow we inform the public, fans and sports friends that our chief of the coaching staff, Mladen Zizovic, died during tonight's game between Mladost and Radnicki 1923 in Lucani," the club said.

Harmanpreet & Co land in Delhi to meet PM

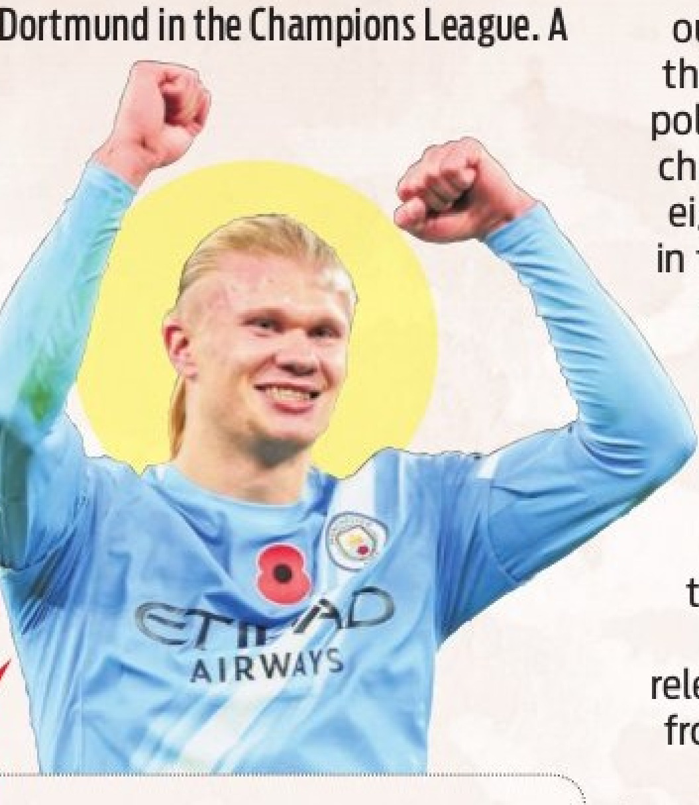
NEW DELHI: The victorious Indian women's cricket team, led by Harmanpreet Kaur, touched down in the national capital on Tuesday evening for its meeting with Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Wednesday. The team won its first global trophy — the 50-over World Cup — beating South Africa in the final in Navi Mumbai on Sunday, marking a defining moment for the women's game in the country.

Man City face Dortmund test

Pep Guardiola's Man City will be hoping to make their home advantage count when they face German giants Borussia Dortmund in the Champions League. A look at Wednesday's set of fixtures...

Man City vs Dortmund | 1:30 am (IST Thursday)

Erling Haaland has been simply unstoppable this season. All eyes will be on him as he plays against his former club at the Etihad Stadium. This could be an intriguing battle as Pep Guardiola's team face a tricky test against the German club, who are more than capable of making a contest out of this fixture.



HAALAND HAS SCORED 37 GOALS IN 33 GROUP STAGE/LEAGUE PHASE APPEARANCES.

Club Brugge vs Barcelona | 1:30 am (IST Thursday)

Barca have had some mixed outings in recent matches and they will be hoping to deliver a polished show and bolster thier chances of finishing in the top-eight. Lamine Yamal, who was in the scoresheet in their most-recent outing, will be hoping to make a difference again.

Benfica vs Leverkusen | 1:30 am (IST Thursday)

It's a battle betwen two teams who have struggled big time and currently in the relegation zone. Benfica, second from bottom, will hope to open their account when they face Leverkusen, who have also huffed and puffed so far this season.

WEDNESDAY'S SELECT MATCHES (1:30 am (IST Thursday) unless specified: Pafos vs Villarreal (11:15 pm); Qarabag vs Chelsea (11:15pm); Newcastle vs Athletic Club; Ajax vs Galatasaray; Inter vs Kairat; Marseille vs Atalanta.

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RANJI ROUND-UP

Bonus win for dominant Karnataka over Kerala

ENS/AGENCIES @ Mangalapuram

Delhi batters in action on the final day of their Ranji Trophy match | SAYANTAN GHOSH

MOHSIN Khan claimed six wickets as a Karnataka crushed last year's finalists Kerala by an innings and 164 runs in their Ranji Trophy match on Tuesday. Kerala were shot out for 184 following-on as Mohsin ran through their batting line-up with Karnataka completing a bonus-point win.

Andhra bag 7 pts vs Odisha

CUTTACK: Spinners Saurabh Kumar and Tripurana Vijay claimed three wickets each as Andhra bundled out Odisha for 274 in their second innings to register a win by an innings and 50 runs. Saurabh, who scored 69 in the first innings and claimed six wickets in the match, was adjudged player of the match.

TN manage to earn draw

COIMBATORE: Hosts Tamil Nadu fared better in their second essay but their abysmal show in the first innings cost them three points against defending champions Vidarbha. They made 233/6 on the last day but that could not change the outcome of the game as Vidarbha, who posted 501 in reply to TN's 291, walked away with honours and were placed second in the Group A points table. Tamil Nadu were sixth with two draws and one loss so far.

Delhi get 1 point

NEW DELHI: Delhi's left-handed opening duo of Arpit Rana and Sanat Sangwan hit centuries and added 321 runs for the unbroken opening stand but it was of little consequence with Pondicherry walking away with three points by virtue of their first-innings lead. Pondicherry scored 481 in their first innings after Delhi managed 294 batting first.

Hyderabad beat Himachal

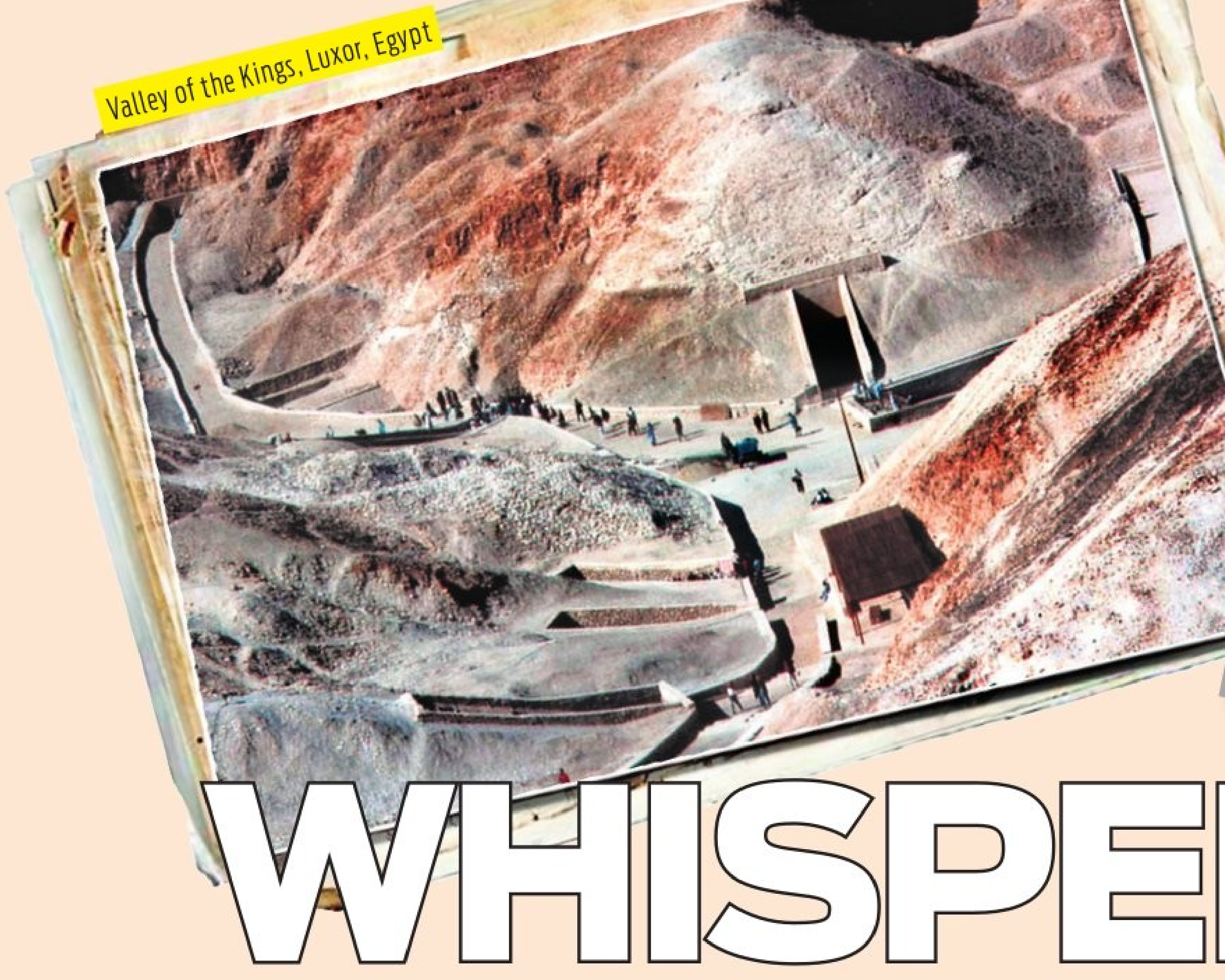
NADAUN: Opener Abhirath Reddy slammed an unbeaten 175 as Hyderabad chased down 344-run target on the last day to win their match against hosts Himachal Pradesh. Hyderabad conceded the first innings lead but fought valiantly to make a comeback and earn six points from the contest.

SELECT SCORES

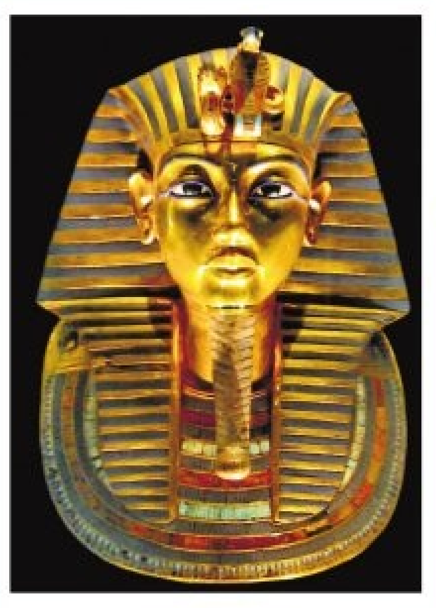
Group A: Andhra 475/7 decl in 123.1 ovs bt Odisha 151 in 56.4 ovs & 274 in 104.2 ovs (Gourav Choudhury 80, Sandeep Pattnaik 63; Tripurana Vijay 3/89) by an innings and 50 runs; TN 291 & 233/6 in 89 ovs (Baba Indrajith 77 n.o; Praful Hinge 46) drew with Vidarbha 501. **Group B:** Karnataka 585/5 decl in 167 ovs bt Kerala 238 & 184 in 79.3 ovs (Krishna Prasad 33, Eden Apple Tom 39 n.o; Mohsin Khan 6/29) by an innings and 164 runs. **Group D:** Delhi 294 & 321/0 (Arpit Rana 170 n.o, Sanat Sangwan 122 n.o) drew with Puducherry 481 in117.1 ovs (Ajay Rohera 151, Jayant Yadav 71).

DID YOU KNOW?

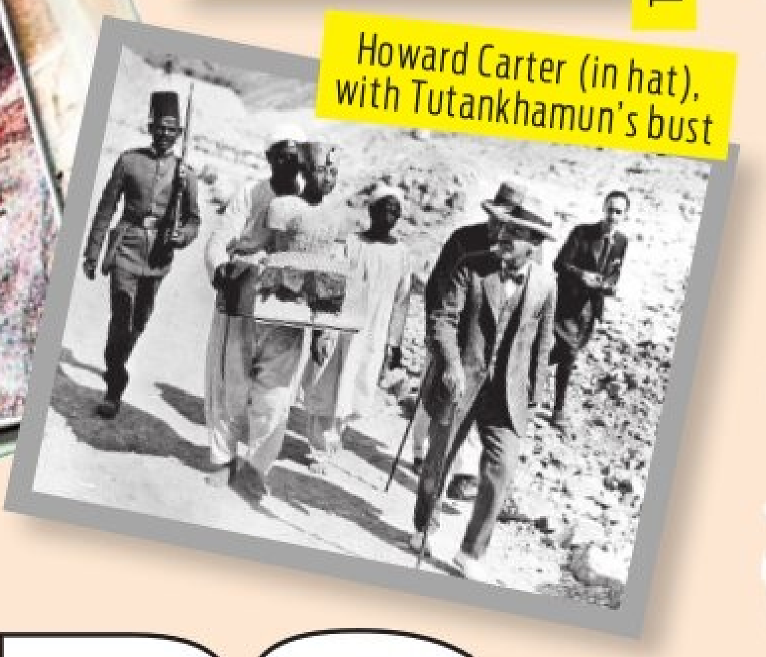
Venus rotates on its axis incredibly slowly, taking about 243 Earth days for one full rotation, but it only takes 225 Earth days to orbit the Sun



Valley of the Kings, Luxor, Egypt



Tutanchamun's gold mask



Howard Carter (in hat), with Tutankhamun's bust

WHISPERS FROM THE VALLEY OF THE KINGS

HRITHIK KIRAN BAGADE

IN the crisp November air of 1922, beneath the golden sands of the Valley of the Kings, history stirred. British archaeologist and Egyptologist Howard Carter, after years of relentless searching and dwindling funds, stood before a sealed doorway that promised either another disappointment or one of the greatest archaeological revelations of the 20th century. When he finally peered through a small breach by candlelight, the sight left him trembling. “Can you see anything?” his patron, Lord Carnarvon (right, above), whispered. Carter’s immortal reply — “Yes, wonderful things!” — marked not just the moment of discovery, but the rebirth of a civilisation’s forgotten splendour.

Tutankhamun, or King Tut, was a relatively minor pharaoh who reigned briefly during Egypt’s Eighteenth Dynasty, around 1332–1323 BCE. Yet, in death, he became immortal. His tomb — designated KV62 — lay undisturbed for more than three millennia, protected by layers of rock and chance. The Valley of the Kings, long raided, plundered and excavated, was thought to have yielded all its secrets. But Carter’s intuition that one tomb still lay hidden proved astonishingly accurate.

The discovery was painstaking, not accidental. For six years, Carter’s team scoured the barren valley funded by Carnarvon’s generosity. Many contemporaries dismissed the expedition as futile. But on November 4, 103 years ago, a step cut into the limestone revealed the top of a stairway buried under rubble. Clearing it led to a plaster-sealed doorway stamped with the royal necropolis seal. Behind it, a small antechamber glittered with unimaginable wealth — gold-covered couches, alabaster jars, chariots, statues, and shrines, all jumbled in glorious chaos.

Divine protector rather than a child

At the heart of the tomb lay the burial chamber, where Tutankhamun’s nested coffins rested within a series of gilded shrines. Inside the innermost coffin, fashioned of solid gold, was the serene face of the boy king, his features immortalised beneath a blue-and-gold nemes headdress. Encasing his mummy was the now-iconic gold funerary mask, inlaid with lapis lazuli, carnelian, and turquoise — an image that came to symbolise the splendour of Ancient Egypt itself.

The tomb’s near-perfect preservation was an archaeological miracle. It offered, for the first time, an unlooted royal burial, providing a snapshot of Egyptian burial customs, art, and craftsmanship at their zenith. Every object within had both ritual and symbolic significance — miniature boats for the journey to the afterlife, food offerings, shabti figurines meant to serve the pharaoh beyond death, and weapons that suggested a divine protector rather than a child.

The scientific implications of the discovery were equally profound. Carter’s meticulous cataloguing and documentation set new standards in archaeological practice. Thousands of objects were carefully recorded, photographed, and conserved over ten years of excavation. The work pioneered modern conservation techniques — from stabilising fragile materials to using early forms of X-ray analysis. Tutankhamun’s remains were among the first mummies subjected to scientific scrutiny, leading to breakthroughs in palaeopathology and ancient DNA studies, decades later.

For Egyptology, the tomb provided the Rosetta moment it had long awaited. It illuminated burial practices of the New Kingdom, clarified the complex religious beliefs surrounding death and rebirth, and offered insight into art, metallurgy, and everyday life in the royal court. The discovery also reshaped global fascination for Ancient Egypt, giving rise to what newspapers dubbed “Tutmania” — a cultural fever that swept through the 1920s and beyond. Egyptian motifs adorned fashion, jewellery, and architecture, while literature and cinema found endless inspiration in the mystique of the pharaoh’s curse.

The so-called “Curse of the Pharaohs”, popularised after Lord Carnarvon’s sudden death in 1923, added an irresistible aura of mystery. Though modern science attributes his death to infection, the legend served a purpose — it heightened global intrigue and cast a supernatural glow around Ancient Egypt’s forgotten kings. For many, Tutankhamun’s tomb was not just an archaeological discovery; it was a reminder of humanity’s fragile link to eternity.

In a deeper sense, the tomb’s discovery transformed how the modern world perceived the ancient one. Before 1922, Egypt was often viewed through the lens of myth and empire — a land of relics to be collected. After Carter’s discovery, Egyptology evolved into a rigorous science rooted in preservation and respect. Egyptian authorities began asserting stronger control over their heritage, eventually reclaiming cultural sovereignty. In this way, Tutankhamun’s tomb became a symbol of both historical and national revival.

Ancient heritage with modern reverence

Scientific analysis of the boy king’s mummy has continued into the twenty-first century, revealing stunning details. CT scans and DNA studies have shown that Tutankhamun was frail, likely suffering from congenital ailments caused by royal inbreeding. His premature death, possibly from a leg infection or malaria, cut short a reign that had attempted to restore Egypt’s traditional gods after the heretical reforms of his father, Akhenaten. Yet, ironically, this short-lived monarch achieved an immortality none of his mighty ancestors could match.

Today, nearly every museum exhibition featuring Tutankhamun’s treasures draws enormous crowds, a century after their unearthing. His artefacts continue to tour the world, embodying both the beauty of ancient craftsmanship and the continuity of human curiosity. In Cairo’s Grand Egyptian Museum, overlooking the Giza Plateau, the entire contents of the intact tomb of the boy king, including his golden mask, throne, and chariots, will soon rest permanently in a space designed to honour Egypt’s ancient heritage with modern reverence.

The discovery of Tutankhamun’s tomb stands as more than a historical milestone; it is a testament to the endurance of knowledge, adventure and wonder. It bridged the gap between antiquity and modern science, transforming the discipline of archaeology into one grounded in precision, preservation, and storytelling. It reminded the world that history is not a static record of the past, but a living dialogue — between dust and discovery, silence and revelation. As the ancient seals were broken and the torchlight fell upon the treasures of a lost world, humanity glimpsed not merely the possessions of a young king, but the power of time itself — how it conceals, protects, and ultimately reveals. In that quiet, breathless moment beneath the scorching Egyptian Sahara, the past whispered once more, and the modern world listened in awe.

A brief life to eternity

Tutankhamun was born around 1341 BCE into royalty riven by religious upheaval. His father, Akhenaten had abandoned Egypt’s pantheon to worship the Sun god, Aten, leaving the empire divided. Ascending the throne at nine, the young pharaoh restored the old gods and moved the capital back to Thebes from Akhetaten, his father’s capital. His name changed from Tutankhaten to Tutankhamun, meaning ‘Living Image of Amun’. Despite illnesses and deformities, he presided over a brief cultural renewal. Himself married to his half-sister Ankhesenamun, Tut died young, leaving no heir. His hurried burial in a small tomb preserved him from ancient robbers, delivering him to eternity. Nearly a century after his discovery, Tutankhamun continues to yield many ancient secrets.

The rise and renewal of kingdoms

ANCIENT Egypt’s civilisation spanned more than three millennia, organised into a sequence of dynasties that rose and fell like the Nile itself. Historians divide its long history into three great eras: the Old Kingdom, Middle Kingdom, and New Kingdom. The Old Kingdom (c. 2686–2181 BCE), known as the Age of the Pyramids, produced the colossal monuments of Giza and established the divine authority of the pharaohs, and the Middle Kingdom (c. 2055–1650 BCE) restored unity and fostered art, literature, and centralised rule. But it was the New Kingdom (c. 1550–1070 BCE) that marked Egypt’s golden age — an epoch of empire, wealth, and monumental architecture.

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DAY'S DIARY

Happy birthday!

Chittaranjan Das was born on this day in 1870. He founded the Swaraj Party under Birtish Raj and was an integral part of the Indian Independence Movement

CAREER PEAK

In 1908, he appeared on behalf of Aurobindo Ghose in the Alipore Bomb Case, which he brilliantly handled. Success in this case brought him to the forefront of political platform

POLITICAL PARTY

On December 31, 1922, at a meeting held at Tecori Palace, Chittaranjan announced the formation of Congress Khilafat Swaraj Party, renamed as Swaraj Party in 1923

TRIAL AND TRIUMPH

The Swaraj Party acted as the opposition to British Raj, after having won the Bengal's provincial council elections in 1923, with an aim to wreck the existing govt

Happenings in and around ooru

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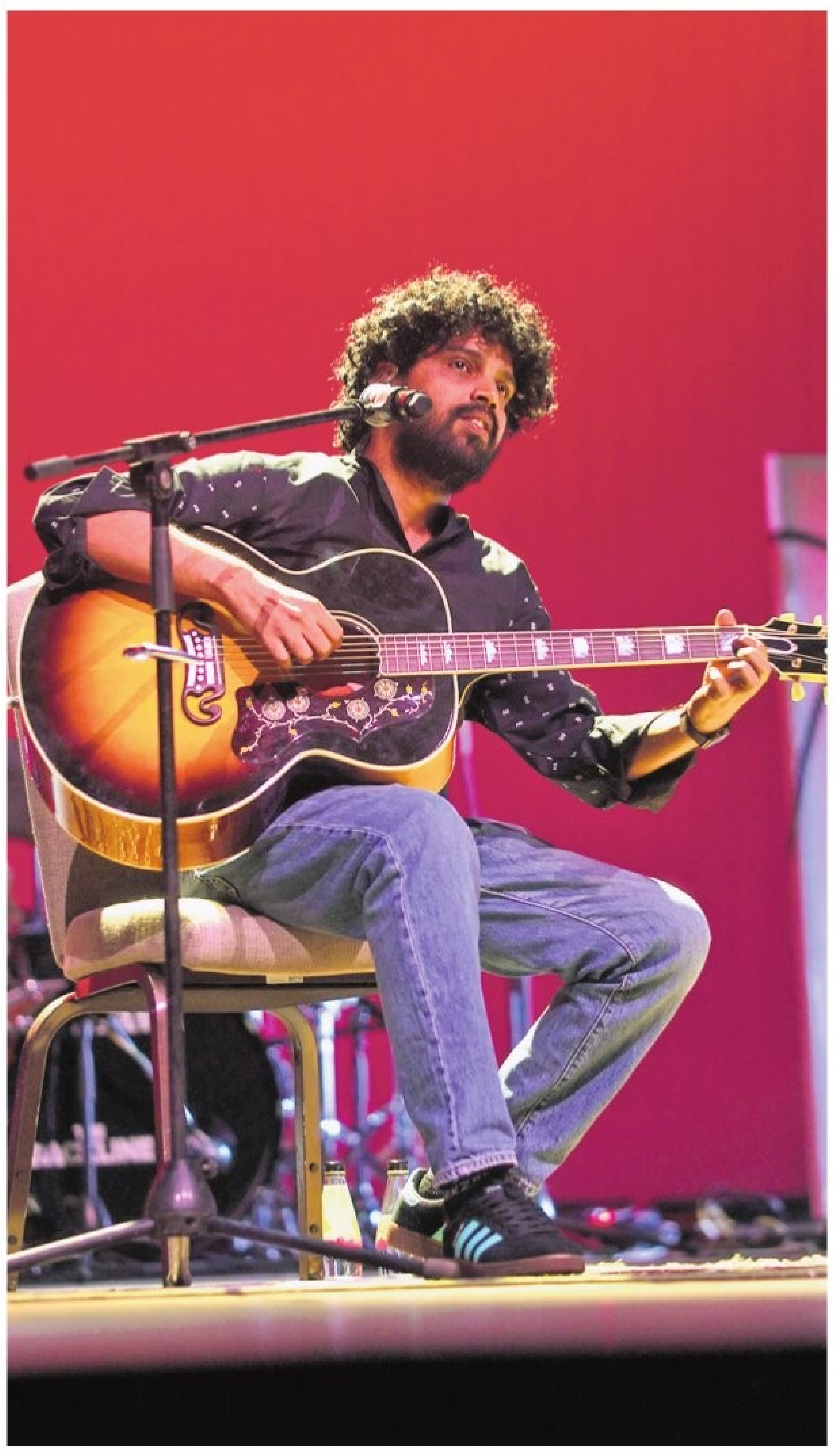

FEELIN' THE BEAT

Pradeep Kumar, known for soulful melodies like *Nee Kavithaigala*, *Kangal Edho* and *Maya Nadhi*, captivates the audience during his recent concert at Prestige Centre for Performing Arts, Konanakunte

CITY READ

Cloud IoT Hackathon to be held in Jan

Toshiba Digital Solutions Corporation is hosting the first-ever GridDB Cloud IoT Hackathon in the city, from January 31 to February 1. The event invites startups, students and developers to create real-time IoT applications using GridDB Cloud, Toshiba's fully managed time-series database available on Microsoft Azure Marketplace. The top five teams from online submissions will receive technical support and mentorship from GridDB engineers and present their proofs of concept to judges, with outstanding projects eligible for further recognition. Applications are open now through December 14, 2025. Apply today at https://griddb-iot-hackathon.devpost.com/

REIMAGINING REALITIES
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Luxury hotels are turning the spotlight toward homemakers, rewriting India's culinary story one pop-up at a time

HOME ON A PLATE

SRUTHI HEMACHANDRAN

IN luxury hospitality, the next big thing isn't molecular plating or designer cocktails, it's the unmistakable warmth of home. Hotels are opening their kitchens to homemakers, turning family recipes into five-star stories. For Tijouri, founded by siblings Sanithra and Kaushik Raju, the idea runs even deeper. "I wouldn't call it a trend. We realised there was a need to tell the stories of home chefs, custodians of dishes passed down through generations," says Sanithra. Established in 2024, Tijouri has already hosted nearly 17 pop-ups.

Luxury hotels are taking note, too, as they reimagine what indulgence means. Sabrina Dey, general manager of ITC Windsor, believes that bridging the professional and personal was only a matter of time. "True culinary excellence is born from authenticity and emotional connection," she explains. "Through these pop-ups (where the price ranges between ₹2,000 to ₹3,000 per person), we are hoping to blur the line between heritage and hospitality, creating spaces where regional stories and heirloom wisdom meet contemporary dining. It's a celebration of India's diverse food narratives, while also supporting home chefs."

And for the homemakers stepping into these spaces, that blend emotion and opportunity has been life-changing. "Homemakers were never in the spotlight. But during the pandemic, people began craving home-cooked food again. For me, pop-ups have been a game-changer. Most people don't know about Bhatkali cuisine, so when they are curious, I get to tell them our story," shares Fathima Riyaz, a home chef from Bhatkal.

At ITC Windsor, the success of recent Bengali and Sri Lankan expositions has encouraged the team to make these events a regular feature. "We see this as part of a larger movement," Dey says, adding that the guests want experiences that are immersive, rooted and emotionally resonant. These collaborations are not just culinary experiments, but conversations between chefs, guests and generations. Home chef and author Bridget White Kumar, who works closely with such initiatives, says it's a reminder of what really matters in food. "We can get so caught up in innovation that we forget the beauty of familiar cuisine. Homemakers revive generation-old recipes that make us rethink what creativity really means. The chance to learn and rediscover is what most fascinates me. This tendency enables us to experiment with common ingredients and traditional recipes, giving them new and inventive interpretations."

Even professional chefs admit to being humbled by this simplicity. Ho Chi Ming, executive chef at Renaissance Bengaluru Race Course Hotel, calls it a 'component of a broader, continuous change in the hospitality industry'. "Visitors are seeking authentic, immersive and culturally-grounded experiences. Such pop-ups (an average of ₹2,500 per person) are a fantastic fit for that sentiment. They make it much more than a fad by enabling us to experiment not just with food but also with storytelling and emotional connection," he shares.

Ho Chi Ming

Sanithra Raju

Fathima Riyaz

For many homemakers, the pop-up revolution has also sparked a sense of identity. Shelly Tripathy, who started as a homemaker and now leads a team of women from marginalised backgrounds, says it has changed how she sees her work. "Pop-ups help us blend in beautifully along with having a wider reach. What we learn from these events are how to cook in commercial set ups and for a large crowd, and retaining our core. People have started to appreciate the food and the efforts, and the stories add to the flavour," says Tripathy, who recently held a bubbly and chaat party.

Riyaz, who carries a quiet sense of pride, says the future has already arrived. To her, this is the perfect time for homemakers, a moment when every home chef is finding their own spotlight. What began as small kitchen takeovers has now evolved into something larger, a redefinition of what it means to be a chef. As Shelly puts it, "Home chefs will move from home kitchens to micro-enterprises. Pop-ups are already helping homemakers turn cooking into a marketable craft."

Sanithra points out that the appeal of such initiatives goes beyond nostalgia. "Bengaluru has a floating population that craves the comfort of home. Through our pop-ups, we showcase India's micro-cuisines from Kashmiri pandit fare to Kongu Nadu and Kathiawadi plates. It's a reminder that home food, too, can have its place at the luxury table," she adds.

KNOW YOUR CITY

Arun Prasad, city-based history researcher, unravels interesting facts about Bengaluru in this weekly quiz series. So it's time for you to find out how familiar you are with the city, beyond its heritage buildings, IT parks and the pub culture.

THE QUIZ WILL BE PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY

Send answers to **bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com** with the subject line **'Know Your City Quiz'**

Correct answers and names of first three respondents with right answers will be featured in *CE*.

① In 1881, the Rendition of Mysore was a significant historical event where the British government returned the administration of the Kingdom of Mysore to the Wodeyars. The post of the Dewan was created in the same year to head the administrative machinery of Mysore state. Who was appointed the first Dewan after rendition who introduced a representative assembly for the first time in Mysore. Dewan Purnaiah or Dewan Rangacharlu?

② T Ananda Rao was the Dewan of Mysore from 1909 to 1912. Two major projects in Bangalore undertaken during his tenure was building Minto Ophthalmic Hospital, an eye hospital on the modern lines and a water filtering plant known as 'Combined Jewel Filters' in Malleswaram to supply drinking water to the city. Name the landmark in a prominent central locality in the city which is named after the Dewan.

③ Seshadripuram was established along with Chamarajpet in 1892 to decongest the old city (Pete). While Chamarajpet is named after Mysore maharaja Chamarajendra Wadiyar X, Seshadripuram was named after an illustrious Dewan of Mysore. Name the Dewan.

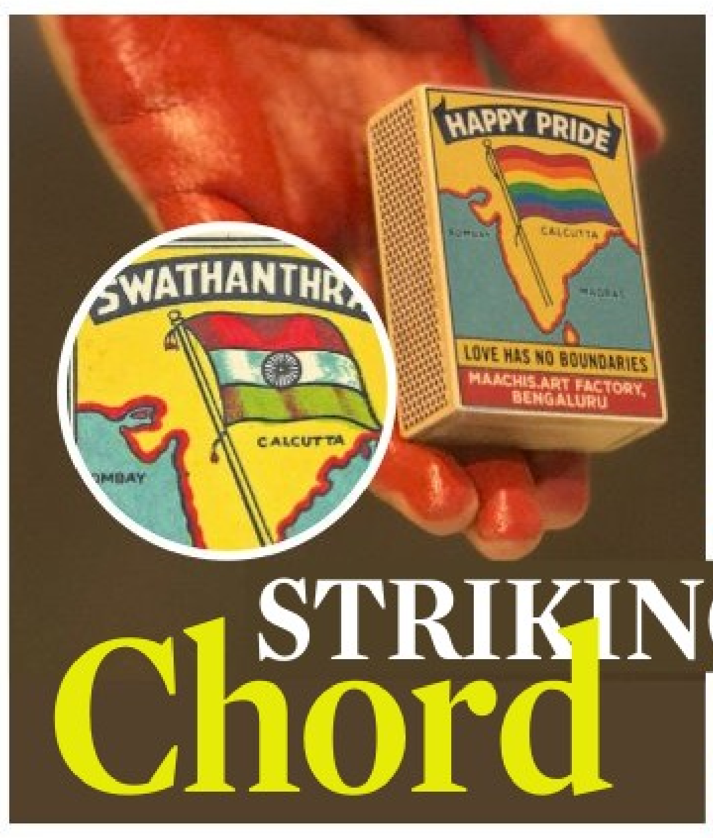
A Bengaluru-based designer duo is on a mission to revive the distinctive style of Indian matchbox art through their quirky and socially-conscious collectible matchboxes

STRIKING A Chord

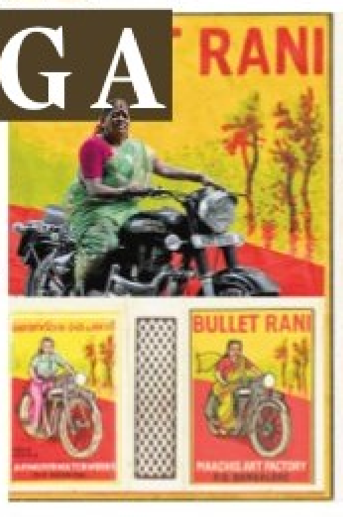
MAHIMA NAGARAJU

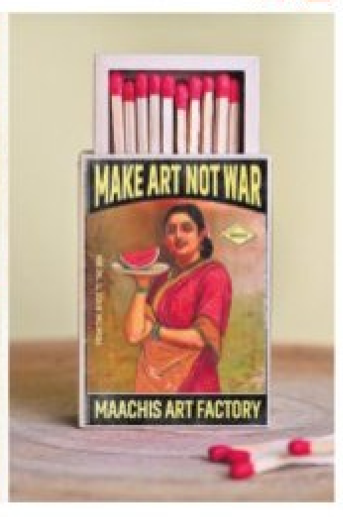
A chubby cherub flies around with sparklers in his hands as 'Baby You're My Firework' in retro typography floats above, one of Raja Ravi Verma's muses holds a sliced watermelon declaring 'Make Art Not War', and a saree clad woman confidently rides a motorbike as the accompanying text reads 'Bullet Rani'. These are all miniature pieces of art painted in bold colours and drawn in a style that's familiar. While today's matchboxes may stick to a few standard designs with the brand prominently displayed, a few decades ago, matchboxes had a huge range of art and messaging adorning them. Designers Kevin Thomas and Sonal Nagwani are trying to revive this art form through their quirky and collectible matchboxes.

"We realised matchbox art was fading compared to its heyday in the 1900s when people used to collect and make them for all kinds of reasons – the alphabet ones (with A for Apple, B for Ball, etc) were used to teach children, tuberculosis awareness was spread through them, and religious drawings were kept in pooja rooms at home. They were also used as advertising for soaps, oils, beedis, even handloom promotions," explains Thomas, adding that as a utility item, they reached every home, democratising art.



Kevin Thomas & Sonal Nagwani





Maachis, the project Thomas and Nagwani started after quitting their startup jobs, seeks not only to preserve this art form but revitalise it by making it relevant to today's youngsters. "We wanted to bring in nostalgia and turn their attention to something meaningful," says Thomas. He explains their process, saying, "We go through the archives of collectors that we know and find designs that can connect with something in the present. For example, the swathantra matchbox is a vintage one about the freedom movement. We reinvented that design to Happy Pride for Pride Month. We also try to find things that have local relevance – like the Anti Nazar matchbox based on the belief in the evil eye."

Their designs feature a mix of phrases from pop-culture (Baby You're My Firework and Patakha Guddi referencing songs, one about making a wish at 11:11, etc), and more socially aware designs like one based on the story of Nangeli, a woman from Kerala who cut off her breasts to oppose the tax levied on lower caste women covering their breasts. "We try to keep a balance of fun designs, forgotten history, and political ones. We don't want a harsh tone but play with satire. That's how the factory-made matchboxes of the past were too; you would see a lot of funny, nationalism-driven or protest-oriented imagery along with artistic designs," he notes.

The boxes are not made of cardboard but of wood, intended as reusable collectibles. Having started the project last year, Thomas and Nagwani had a low-key presence until a reel gained attention on Instagram, now the video has over one million views and the account has nearly 55,000 followers. "We were doubtful about whether people would connect with our art. But when it [the video] started getting attention, we gained a community that could support us. It opened many doors for collaborations. There are many matchbox collectors with huge collections of 20,000 to 50,000 matchboxes, but they are mostly on Facebook groups and aren't able to go beyond that circle. We wanted to open that world up," says Thomas.

Since then, they've collaborated with indie artistes like Peter Cat Recording Co. for matchboxes based on them and local visual artists. "We've also expanded into enamel hand-painted artwork – collaborating with Surabhi, an artist from Kannur. Enamel painting itself is a fading art form, so it felt meaningful to revive and support it alongside matchbox art," adds Thomas.

XPRESS FOCUS

IQue Ventures to Launch Startup Park, Aims to Create One Lakh Jobs

IQue Ventures an investment firm is all set to power dreams of tens and thousands of startup with its 'Startup Park venture with in investment of Rs 600 crores. The firm has promised a one stop solution for startups from innovation labs to building products, incubation, startup school, office space, 24x7 working common space and co-working space and assured that the initiative will lead to create around one lakh job opportunities.

The Startu Park will be inauguration by Deputy Chief Minister and Bengaluru Development Minister DK Shivakumar on November-7.

As per the CEO, Shafi Shoukath , the vision is simple but ambitious to support 10,000+ startups and make Bengaluru the most founder-friendly city in the world by 2030.This is not just about startups. This is about building Karnataka's future empowering youth, creating opportunities across districts, and positioning our state as a global hub for innovation."I welcome every founder, investor,policymaker, and dreamer to be a part of this journey. Together, let's ensure the world looks at Bengaluru not just as India's Startup Capital, but as a global capital of innovation." said Shoukath.

He also added the firm will also help incubate the ideas and fund startups to realise the dreams"We plan to incubate 500 such startups a year. From scratch to finish including mentorship,legal support, skill development and making the talent future ready, creating investor magnet to attract global venture capitals and funds into Karnataka, Making Built In Karnataka, empowering women entrepreneurs all are the integral part of the IQue Ventures," stressed the CEO and added, the startup school will have three batches and it will boost the entrepreneurship.

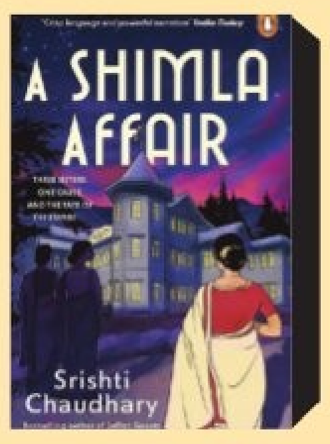
Startup Park

Shafi Shoukath

The firm would also offer Event Space and Global Connect Lounge for conferences, meetups and showcases. This apart, there will a dedicated Startup Tv, channel dedicated to startups).

The flea market for pop-up space for product launches and sales, library and resource centers for conferences are included. This apart to relaxation and mental well-being, wellness and meditation zones, coffee shops for networking over casual meetings and high-tech resources for next-gen startups which are part and parcel of AI infrastructure are offered.

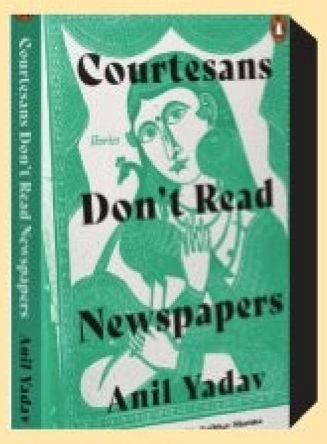
BOOK NOOK



A Shimla Affair

By Srishti Chaudhary

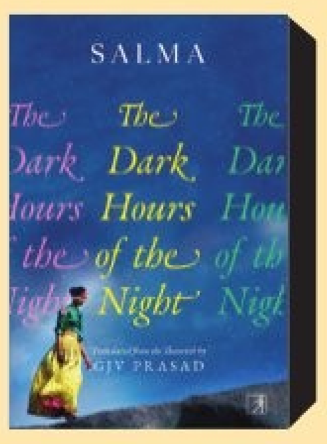
A Shimla Affair follows the story of three women attempting to change the course of Indian independence for love, duty, and revenge.



Courtesans Don't Read Newspapers

By Anil Yadav, translated from the Hindi by Vaibhav Sharma

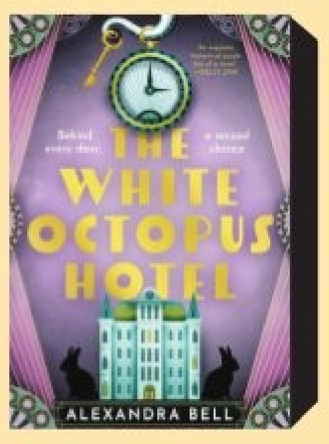
The book translates author Anil Yadav's words into a poetic collection of short stories that explore a world of privilege.



The Dark Hours of the Night

By Salma, translated by GJV Prasad

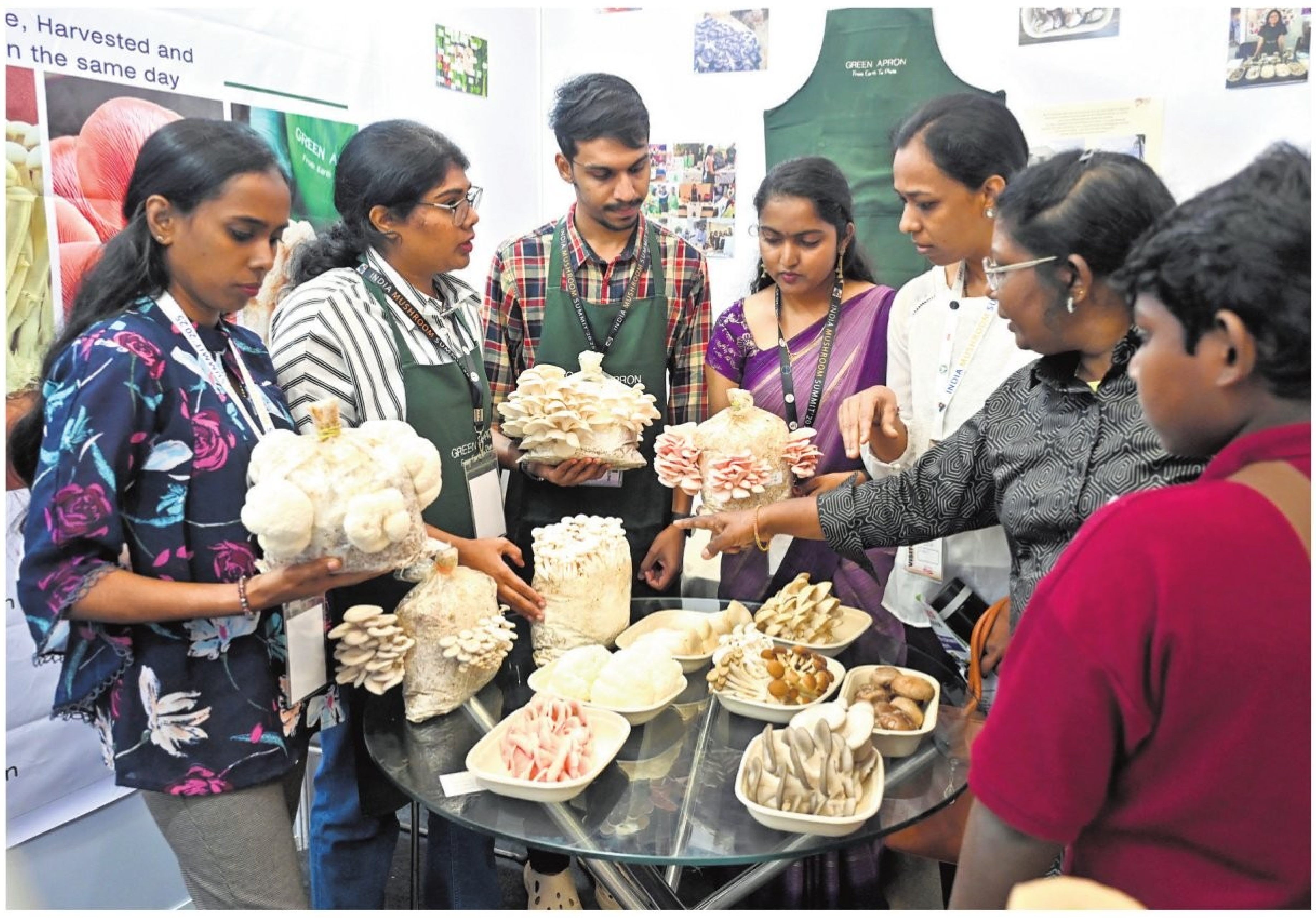
Originally published in 2004, this is a translation of writer Salma's first novel, *Irandaam Jaamangalin Kathai.* It's a woman's coming of age under watchful eyes and suffocating rules in a conservative household.



The White Octopus Hotel

by Alexandra Bell

Journey to a magical hotel in the Swiss Alps, where two lost souls living in different centuries meet and discover if a second chance awaits them behind its doors.



ALL EYES ON FUNGI

Visitors examine different varieties of fresh mushroom samples at the India Mushroom Summit held at the University of Agricultural Sciences, Vignana Kendra | **NAGARAJA GADEKAL**

QUICKFIX

BANANA BREAD

INGREDIENTS

- **Ripe banana:** 1/4 to 1.5 cups mashed
- **Melted butter:** 1/3 cup
- **Baking soda & sugar:** 1/2 tsp each
- **Salt:** 1 pinch
- **Egg:** 1
- **Vanilla extract:** 1 tbsp
- **All-purpose flour:** 11/2 cups

METHOD

- Butter an 8x4-inch loaf pan.
- In a mixing bowl, mash the ripe bananas with a fork until completely smooth. Stir the melted butter into the mashed bananas.
- Mix in the baking soda and salt. Stir in the sugar, beaten egg, and vanilla extract. Mix in the flour.
- Pour the batter into your prepared loaf pan. Bake for 55 to 65 minutes or until a toothpick or wooden skewer inserted into the centre comes out clean.
- Remove from oven and let cool in the pan for a few minutes. Then, remove the banana bread from the pan and let it cool completely before serving. Slice and serve.

Contributed by **Rehana,** Bengaluru

WHATWHENWHYWHERE

Circus Fusion

Experience a spectacular fusion of world-class performances. The event showcases international artistes and a hologram show, blending live performances with advanced visual technology. It offers a display of skill, creativity, and innovation in modern circus art.

WHEN: November 5, 4pm onwards

WHERE: Kengeri Mela Maidana, Mailasandra

DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Science Hub

Discover an interactive centre that brings science to life through engaging exhibits. Explore five themed galleries designed to spark curiosity and inspire learning. The experience suits visitors of all ages with a blend of education and discovery.

WHEN: November 5, 10am onwards

WHERE: Param Science Centre, Jayanagar

DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

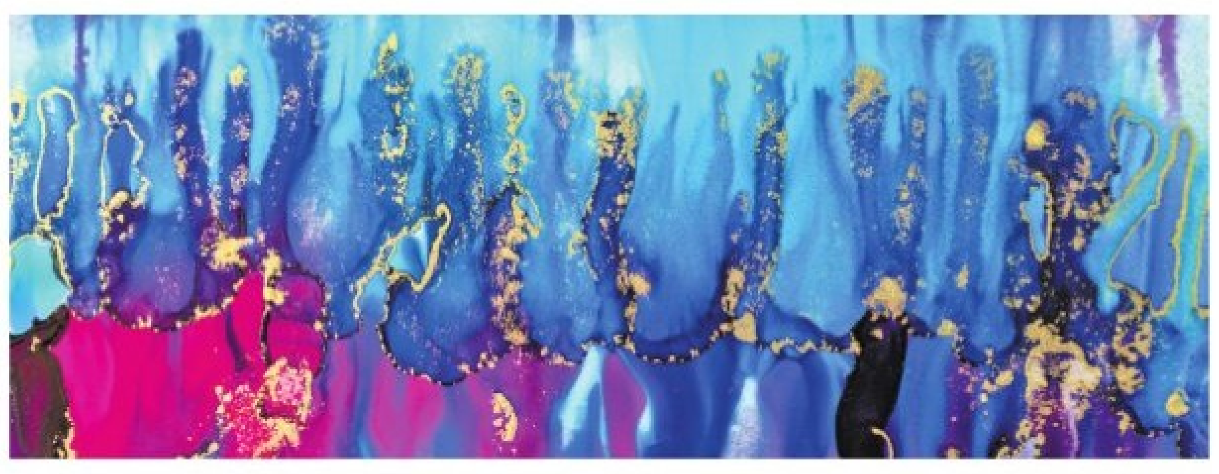
Classically Charmed

Indulge in an evening of soulful music. Listen to the spellbinding vocals of Hindustani vocalists Mouna Ramachandra and Kaushiki Chakraborty accompanied by live instrumental music.

WHEN: November 5, 6pm onwards

WHERE: Chowdiah Memorial Hall, Malleswaram

DETAILS: bookmyshow.com



Paint Waves

Explore the art of alcohol ink painting, where participants can experiment with creating unique patterns and designs. The workshop offers an opportunity to learn from experts in a hands-on setting with all materials included. **WHEN:** November 5, 11.30am onwards **WHERE**: Art Beat, HSR Layout **DETAILS:** artbeatclasses.com

A Fresh Spread

Indulge in a new menu that celebrates India's culinary heritage through delicacies like galgal paat murg infused with lemon leaves, chaulai shikaar, a slow-cooked mutton curry with amaranth, chaunk wali arbi with onion, coriander roots and jhakiya temper, and pathyud which are tender rolls of besan and amaranth leaves. Alongside this is a new cocktail collection inspired by India's botanical ingredients.

WHEN: 12.30pm onwards

WHERE: LOYA, Taj West End, Bengaluru

CALL: 80666 05660

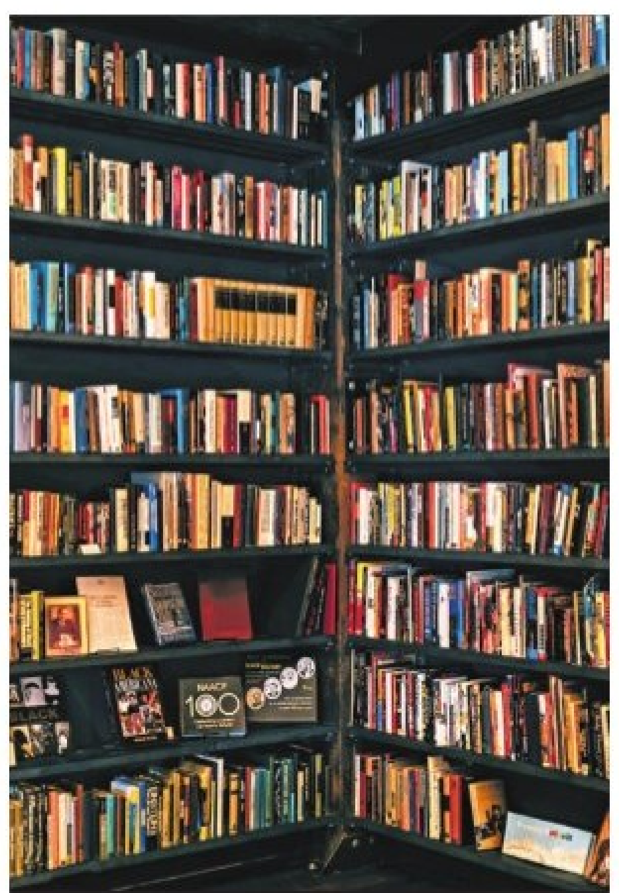
Salsa Steps

Pick up a new skill at this Salsa class which offers structured classes for all age groups. The 90-minute tryout session introduces the fundamentals of the dance form, focusing on movement, coordination, and creative expression.

WHEN: November 5, 6pm

WHERE: Shara Salsa and Latin Dance Institute, Jayanagar

CALL: 98869 75979



Bookworm's Paradise

Explore the pre-Bangalore Literature Festival Book Sale featuring a wide range of books. Visitors can browse the bookstore's collections to find titles across all genres, including Indian fiction, non-fiction, language guides, and children's books, at 50 per cent off.

WHEN: November 9, 11am onwards

WHERE: Atta Galatta, Indiranagar

CALL: 96325 10126

ASK AN XPERT

SANOLI CHOWDHURY

Music producer, audio engineer and artiste, Bengaluru. Co-founder of Indie Grrrl & Femme Music

Music production 101

Learn your fundamentals: Learn the basics of songwriting structure, melodies, dynamics, and harmonies; they form the core of everything you'll ever create. Once you know the rules, you can break them but knowing them first is crucial. Music theory will always help, no matter how little or how much you know.

Master the essence: Remember that production is storytelling. It's about emotion, tension, and release – it is how a song makes you feel.

Tie them together: Understand that nothing works in isolation. The production, melody, songwriting, and engineering all depend on one another. Having great production won't save a weak melody. Also, the guitars will only sound as good as the guitarist can play them.

Listen widely: Notice how every element in a song serves a purpose, how the mood builds, how instruments complement each other, how tension and release has been built. It does not necessarily matter what genre the music is, there is always something to learn. Be okay with making mistakes. Creativity can be frustrating, and being self-critical is healthy, but don't let it paralyse you. Growth comes from evolving, experimenting, and staying open to learning.

EXPRESS CONNECT

HAVE A RECIPE OR ART WORK TO SHARE, OR A QUESTION TO ASK?

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FITBIT

HIIT IT HARD: THE 20-MINUTE SWEAT SESSION THAT REDEFINES INTENSITY

When you think of a workout that's short, powerful, and incredibly effective - HIIT (High-Intensity Interval Training) takes the crown. It's quick, sweaty, and transformative. Let's take you through a 20-minute HIIT routine that combines strength, stamina, and sweat.

WARM-UP: IGNITING THE ENGINE

Start with a gentle warm up by doing the following exercises and prepping your spine for the high intensity rounds. Do one round of each for 15-30 seconds.

- **Lunged Hip Flexor with Rotation:** Step forward into a deep lunge, push your hips gently forward, and rotate your torso. This opens up tight hip flexors and activates your lower back.
- **Hamstring Swipes:** With one heel on the floor and knee locked, hinge from the hips to reach forward. It's the perfect move to lengthen the posterior chain before power work.
- **World's Greatest Stretch:** A full-body opener – combining a plank, deep lunge, and rotation. It primes mobility and stability in one elegant flow.

MAIN WORKOUT ROUTINE

The following is the main workout routine to be done for 30 seconds per movement with 15 seconds of rest.

1. Jump Lunges

Explosive and effective. Alternate legs in a lunge position, jumping to switch. If fatigue hits, scale down to reverse lunges without jumping.

Target: Glutes, quads, hamstrings, and heart rate.

2. Offset Push-Ups

A dynamic variation that challenges the chest and shoulders. One hand slightly ahead of the other, switching sides for each rep.

3. Jumping Jacks

A timeless move for a reason with full-body coordination, cardio conditioning, and rhythm in motion.

4. Bicycle Crunches

Controlled core activation. Alternate knee to elbow with full leg extension for maximum contraction.

THE FINAL ROUND

Instead of just stopping with the above routine, you can add this finisher round to change the game of your workout.

1. Pulse Squats

Stay low, move halfway up, and pulse. Feel your quads ignite and your glutes tighten.

2. Sprawls

Drop down, shoot your legs back like a burpee, and stand tall with full hip extension.

The magic of HIIT lies in recovery. Once you've hit your peak, it's essential to bring your body back to calm.

- **Cobra Pose:** Opens the chest and spine after intense floor work.
- **Kneeling Quad Stretch:** Releases tension from the front thighs.
- **Pigeon Pose:** Deep glute stretch – perfect post-squat.
- **Chest Opener:** Interlock fingers behind your back, lift your chest, and breathe deep.

By Spoorthi S, fitness expert, cult — a fitness and wellness platform

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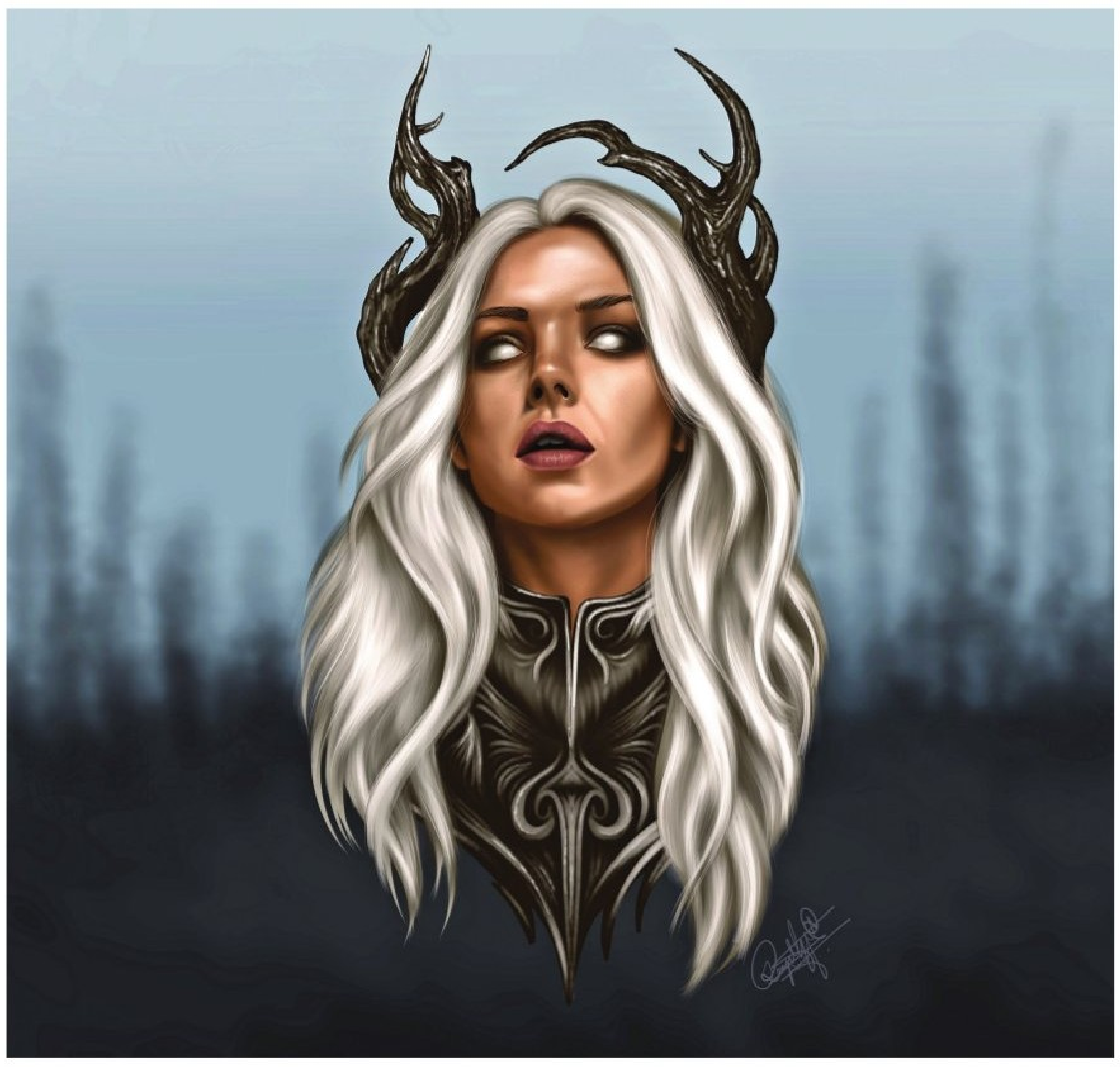


SHE WHO SEES IN WHITE

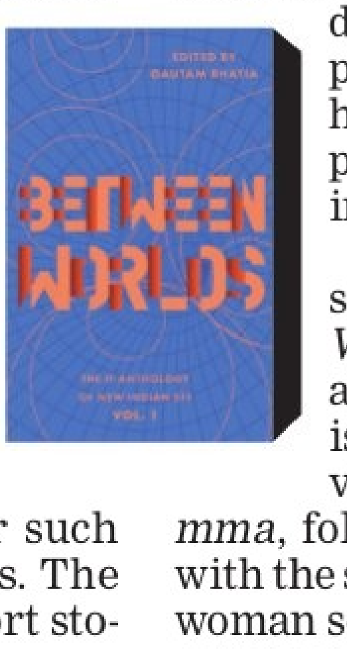
Artist Ramjith A depicts a woman suspended between the mortal and the mystical

REIMAGINING REALITIES

Between Worlds, an anthology edited by writer Gautam Bhatia, uses the speculative fiction genre to address real-world concerns

ANJALI RAM

WHAT if the future wasn’t something that happened to us but something we imagined, analysed and wrote into being? This quest is what speculative fiction is all about, a genre that thrives to find an answer between what it is and what it could be. At a recent discussion at Champaca Bookstore, in Vasanth Nagar, the anthology *Between Worlds* (₹599, Westland Books), edited by writer and lawyer **Gautam Bhatia**, became the focal point for such imaginative possibilities. The book brings together short stories by eleven writers.



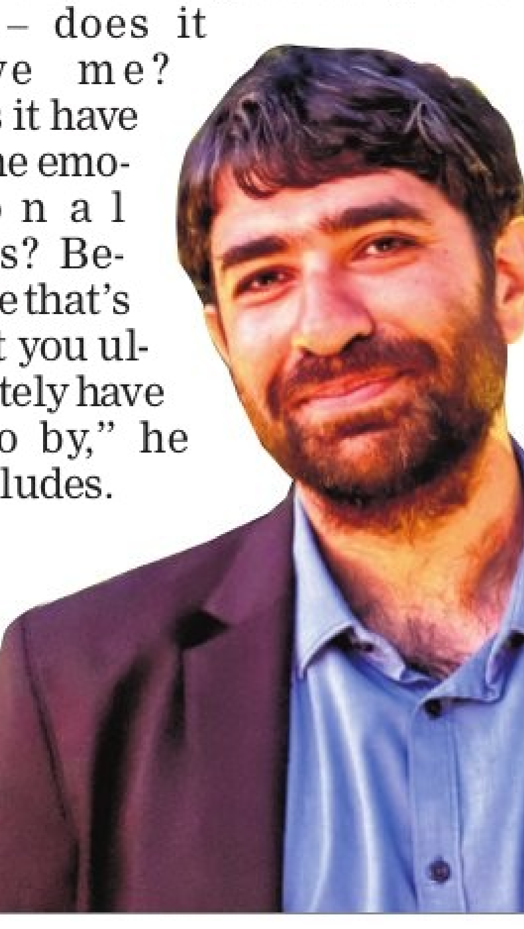
Alongside Bhatia, contributors of the book, writers Srividya Tadepalli, Prashanth Srivatsa, Suchitra Sukumar and Priyamvadha Shivaji got candid about the book that doesn’t simply dabble in a futuristic utopian world but offers a vivid picture of using speculative fiction to respond to real global questions like climate collapse, moral cost of technology, migration, memory and identity.

“When you mention Indian speculative fiction, people often ask, ‘What’s that?’ or think of *Star Trek*. The idea was to change that perception,” says Bhatia, recalling the origin of the book. Breaking the usual ‘gate-kept’ commissioning process, the anthology was built purely through a blind submission model, receiving over 400 entries. And half of the selected stories came from debut writers. “The process reminded me how diverse and unexpected good storytelling can be,” he adds.

As the panellists shared, *Between Worlds* is as much about the present as it is about the future. Srivatsa’s story, *Muniyamma*, follows a robot imbued with the spirit of a 102-year-old woman sent to solve a crisis on a distant planet. “It’s set in outer space, but it’s rooted in stories I grew up with, of mothers and grandmothers, of how resilience travels through generations,” he explains. For Shivaji, the story *Sudden Showers* began as a fantasy and turned into a deeply personal coming-of-age story about women stranded on an island. “I wrote it during a rainy day in Bengaluru. It began as world-building and became about human connection,” she shares.

Each story in the anthology approaches the ‘what if’ concept differently. From alternate histories and parallel realities to indepth human tales set against speculative backdrops, the book blurs the line between myth and modernity. While writer Tadepalli’s *Tomorrow’s Ancestors* is about a domestic worker named Bhanu and her daughter as they get visited by the former’s great-great-granddaughter from the future, Sukumar’s *A Rough-Edged Confection* introduces readers to Janaki, a middle-aged woman who gains a super power. “I’m trying to show characters that are a little more complex than the broad strokes in which a Western author might read Indian characters and to write about where we are, not as a borrowed setting but as our own imagined world,” Sukumar emphasises.

About the hurdles of putting together many worlds of different writers into an anthology, Bhatia says,”It was very challenging because every editor has biases. My bias as a science fiction reader and writer is towards the more space opera kind of fiction. But as an editor, you have to get over that and just look for a good story and ask – does it move me? Does it have all the emotional beats? Because that’s what you ultimately have to go by,” he concludes.



The man who gave us the Web, and never claimed it

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(The author is a technologist based in Silicon Valley who is gently mad about books)

V R Ferose with Tim Berners-Lee

IN an age when every click, every connection, and every emotion can be monetised, it feels almost unbelievable that the World Wide Web, the very architecture of our digital lives, was created by someone who gave it away for free. That someone was Sir Tim Berners-Lee.

Born in the same year as Steve Jobs and Bill Gates, Berners-Lee belonged to the same generation of pioneers who reshaped the modern world. But unlike them, he took a radically different path. He famously distributed his innovation without seeking commercial reward.

As the web rapidly gained users around the world, Berners-Lee focused on building its governance, developing the foundational protocols of HTML, HTTP, and the URL. His goal was to unleash creativity and collaboration for the benefit of all – a goal he continues to pursue today.

Reading his book *This Is for Everyone: The Unfinished Story of the World Wide Web* (his speech at the opening ceremony of 2012 Olympic Games was the same title!) and listening to his conversation with Thomas Friedman (at Kepler’s Bookstore in Menlo Park), I was reminded that behind every great invention lies both intellect and intent.

What makes Berners-Lee extraordinary is he built the web to make it open, accessible, and free for everyone. When Friedman asked him how he imagined the web when he built it, Berners-Lee replied that he wanted a universal space where anyone could share knowledge without hierarchy or permission. He didn’t picture ‘users’ or ‘consumers’ – only people.

Friedman called this the ‘moral imagination of technology’ – the ability to think not only of what we can build, but what we should. In a world that rewards speed, scale, and profit, Berners-Lee chose patience, principle, and public good. That decision set him apart – not just from his peers, but from the very logic of technological capitalism that came after him.

From the very beginning, he envisioned a system that was simple, open, and universal. He created the Universal Document Identifier – what we now call a URL – a solution that allowed anyone, anywhere, to link to any document. Its simplicity was its genius, enabling the web to grow exponentially, multiplying tenfold every year.

He didn’t patent it, didn’t corral it within pay-walls, and didn’t build a billion-dollar empire from it. Instead he ensured that the web remained a public commons, not a privatised playground for corporations.

Berners-Lee often describes the web as a “mine of information,” though he jokes that “worldwide mess” might be more accurate at times. He is painfully aware of the systematic erosion of his ideal. Today, the very platform he created has been transformed into a marketplace where data is currency and attention is the most traded commodity.

Cookies, once designed as conveniences, became tools for surveillance. Social media, initially a means of connection, turned into machinery for addiction and manipulation. He worries about artificial intelligence too. Through it all, Berners-Lee’s humanism shines through. He grew up in a loving home, raised by parents who themselves had worked on the earliest computers. He was nurtured in optimism and collaboration, values that became the DNA of the web. He often points to open-source communities as the living expression of that spirit: people from all over the world, working together selflessly, creating something larger than themselves.

Berners-Lee has never wavered in his vision of a web that belongs to everyone, and he is still working quietly on reimagining it. Through his latest initiative, Solid, he is trying to give people control of their own data – to restore the web’s original promise of trust, privacy, and agency.

“Your data should be yours,” he insists. That statement sounds almost self-evident, and yet it runs counter to nearly every digital system we live within today.

His philosophy echoes that of the early scientists and thinkers who saw knowledge as a shared inheritance, not a private asset. Thomas Friedman often says, “The world is flat,” meaning technology has connected us in unprecedented ways. But listening to Berners-Lee, I was struck by another truth: the world may be connected, but connection without compassion can flatten the human spirit. The web was never meant to divide or distort; it was meant to deepen our understanding of one another.

Today, every message we send, every page we read, every connection we make online traces back to that single act of generosity: a man who could have claimed the world, and instead, offered it freely. Perhaps that is the truest measure of greatness – not how much we build, but how much we give away.

(The writer’s views are personal)

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PUBLIC NOTICE

CHANGE OF NAME

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I, **MONAHANG SUBBA** is mother of 13630518A **Nk Biswash Subba**, residing at Namli PW, 31A NH Way, Namli Busty 9th Mile, Namli GPU, VTC: Namli, PO: Ranipool, District: East, State: Sikkim, Pin Code: 737135,have changed my name from **MONAHANG SUBBA to MANANG SUBBA** & my date of birth is 05 Nov 1969 vide affidavit dated: 03-11-2025 before Notary, Sivakumara. M.N. Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, GANGADHAR, father of NO.16118636F, Ex-HAV, SUBHASH, Residing at House NO.223, Khajri (Vill & Post), Chhindwara (Post), Chhindwara (Dist), MADHYA PRADESH (State), PIN: 480001, Have Changed My **(OLD NAME) GANGADHAR** to **(NEW NAME) GANGADHAR SONTAKE** And **DOB** from **01.07.1950** to **01.01.1948** Vide Affidavit Dated 31.10.2025 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **Nirmal Jain,** S/o Late Premraj Jain, aged about 50 years, residing at No. 11, Jolly Apartments, N.S. Iyengar Street, Seshadri Puram, Bengaluru - 560020. Do here by declare that I have changed my son's name from **Manav A Jain** to **Manav Jain,** Vide Affidavit dated 19.09.2025, Sworn to before Puttaramaiah, Advocate & Notary Public, Government of India Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **KAPIL UPADHAYAY,** Aged about 46 years, S/o. Sri. Jetander Mohan Upadhayay, Residing at A 602, Nitesh Forest Hills, Seegehalli Village, Shell Petrol Bunk, Seegehalli, Kannamangala, Bangalore, Karnataka - 560 067, do hereby declare that I have changed my daughter's name from **HAZEL** to **HAZEL UPADHAYAY** vide affidavit dated 04.11.2025 sworn to before Rajanna. S.M. Advocate and Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **AENAAZ NAZIR WALLOO** D/o Nazir Ahmed Walloo, R/o No. 235, 17th Main, Hosapalya Road, ITI Layout, Bangalore – 560102, have permanently changed my name from **AENAAZ NAZIR WALLOO** to **AENAAZ NAZIR AHMED WALLOO**, vide affidavit dated 31/10/2025, sworn before notary L. Puttaraju, Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT

I, **JETUN DHANIYA**, Aged about 66 years, W/o. Yakub Majid Daniya, Residing at No.**49/1**, 2nd Cross, Doddanna Layout, Venkateshpuram, Bengaluru North, Bengaluru, Karnataka : 560 032 do hereby state as follows:- My Name is mentioned as **JETUN ALIAS KULSUM** instead of **JETUN DHANIYA**. My Correct name is **JETUN DHANIYA**, Vide Affidavit **Dated: 01.11.2025** sworn to before Dr. R.S. Vijay, Notary Public, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **Safi Ur Rahaman Shariff**, Son of Nazeer Ahmed Shariff, Aged about 55 years, Residing at No. 522, 2nd Cross, Muslim Block, Maddur Town, Maddur - 571 428, Mandya District, Karnataka State, India, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **Shafi Ur Rahman Shariff** to **Safi Ur Rahaman Shariff** vide affidavit dated 23.10.2025 sworn to before T.V. Indira, Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **YASHWANTH GOWDA**, S/o V Puttegowda, R/o No. 301, A Block, LE Grand Park View Apartments, 5th Main, BHEL Layout, Kenchanahalli, Bangalore - 560098 Karnataka, have permanently changed my name from **YASHWANTH GOWDA** to **YASHWANTH PUTTEGOWDA**, vide affidavit dated 31/10/2025, sworn before notary L. Puttaraju, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **JAMBOO TAHIRA BEGUM** also known as **J TAHIRA BEGUM**, W/o. Gummi Abdullah Basha, Resident of # 17, E No. 8th Street, Broadway Road Cross, Opp. Shivajinagar Post State, Shivajinagar, Bengaluru - 560 051, Karnataka, India, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **JAMBOO TAHERA BEGUM** to **JAMBOO TAHIRA BEGUM** also known as **J TAHIRA BEGUM W/o. GUMMI ABDULLAH BASHA.** Vide affidavit dated 27.10.2025 sworn to before V. Rajashekhara, Advocate & Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SHASHANK VARDHAN PUTTAPARTHI**, resident of No. 49/2, 1st Floor, S Kariyappa Road, Basavanagudi, Bengaluru-560004, Karnataka, India, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SHASHNAK VARDHAN PUTTAPARTHI** to **SHASHANK VARDHAN PUTTAPARTHI,** vide affidavit dated 04.11.2025, sworn to before B. Chitra, Advocate & Notary Public, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **BHOOMIKA RAMANNA ARABANNAVAR (BHOOMIKA R. A.)** D/o Ramanna Basappa Arabannavar & Mrs. Pooja Ramanna Arabannavar, aged about 18 years (D.O.B.14-03-2007), Flat No. 2/0/2, ‘B’ Block, Platinum City Apartments, No. 2, HMT Factory Road, Yeshwanthpura Po, Bangalore-560022, Karnataka, declare that I have changed my name from **“BHOOMIKA R.A.”** to **“BHOOMIKA RAMANNA ARABANNAVAR”** by expanding the abbreviations (R. A.), vide Affidavit Dated 04-11-2025 sworn to before RENUKA C. Advocate & Notary Public, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **M. BHUVANESHWARI,** age 48 years, W/o. Manickavasagam A, R/at. # 5, 2nd floor, 6th Cross, Bengaluru-56003, hereby declare that I have changed my surname from **“BHUVANESHWARI.A”** to **“M.BHUVANESHWARI”** vide affidavit dated 04.11.2025, sworn to before Mr. K.P. Ramesh, Advocate & Notary Public, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

WE, ALI IKRAM and **AYESHA SIDDIQA** Residing at No. 87, 3rd Main JHBCS Layout, Kumaraswamy Layout 2nd Stage, Bangalore-560111. have changed our minor Son's Name from **MOHAMMED AMEEN ALI** to **MOHAMMED IMDAD ALI** (Date of Birth: 31.03.2025) vide affidavit dated: 04.10.2025 sworn before Notary Prasad Shetty. K.B. Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I. **K.ANUSHA** (existing Name of spouse as per NOK POR/ IAFF(P) 5) wife of Kanuparti Krishna Chaitanya is legally wedded spouse of (3) residing at Flat No.603, Block-1, Giridhari Executive Park, Peeramcheruvu, Near Kali Mandir, Hydershakote, Hydershahkote, K.V.Rangareddy, Telangana-500091, Presently at: OMQ 426/4, Officers Enclave, Air Force Station, Jalahalli East, Near Gangamma Circle, Bengaluru, Karnataka - 560013, have changed my name from **K.ANUSHA** to **KANUPARTHI ANUSHA DEVI,** vide affidavit dated 4/11/2025 sworn to before T Narayanaswamy Advocate and Notary, Govt of India, Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME

We, **RAGAVENDRA NANJUNDAPPA,** S/o Nanjundappa, aged about 47 years, and Smt. Kavitha .B.C, W/o Ragavendra Nanjundappa, aged about 42 years, both are R/at No. 146, Madhava Nilaya, 18th A Main Road, Muneshwara Block, Bangalore-560026, do hereby declare that my son’s names i.e. **SIDDHARTH RAGAVENDRA MATHANKATTE** and **SIDDHARTH R MATHANKATTE** are one and the same and refers to our son’s only, we have changed my Son’s name to **SIDDHARTH RAGAVENDRA MATHANKATTE** henceforth I shall be known and called as **SIDDHARTH RAGAVENDRA MATHANKATTE** and my correct name is **RAGAVENDRA NANJUNDAPPA** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 03-11-2025, sworn before Advocate and Notary **Smt. VATSALA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **Mrs. KARRI MADHAVI,** AGED 51 YEARS, WIFE OF Mr. THAMMI REDDY K., PRESENTLY RESIDING AT #51, MHR LAYOUT, HESARAGHATTA MAIN ROAD, CHIKKABANAVARA POST, BENGALURU NORTH, BENGALURU-560073, KARNATAKA, INDIA, (AADHAAR CARD NO.309015803496- PASSPORT NO.N8760845) HAVE CHANGED MY NAME FROM **MADHAVI THAMMIREDDY KARRI** TO **“KARRI MADHAVI”,** VIDE AFFIDAVIT DATED:31/10/2025 DULY SWORN TO BEFORE **SRI. RAMASANJEEVAIAH. K. V.,** NOTARY, GOVT. OF INDIA, BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME

I,**B.SINDHU VENUGOPAL** (BELLAMKONDI) W/o. Venugopal B., DOB: 21-03-1986, residing at No.33, 3rd Cross, P F Layout, Near Standard English School, Marenahalli, Vijayanagara, Bangalore North, Vijayanagar, Bangalore - 560040, have changed my name from **SINDHU B.N.** to **B. SINDHU VENUGOPAL (BELLAMKONDI),** vide affidavit dated 3/11/2025 sworn to before Deepa M Advocate and Notary Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **PUSHPALATHA V MAHAGAON,** W/o Mr. Vinod Kumar G Mahagaon, aged about 47 years, residing at No. 101, Amrutha Bindu, 1st Main, Vijayalakshmi Layout, Abbigere, Bengaluru-560090, do hereby declare that all the names i.e. **PUSHPALATHA V MAHAGAON** and **PUSHPALATHA** are one and the same and refers to me only, henceforth I shall be known and called as **PUSHPALATHA V MAHAGAON** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 03/11/2025 sworn before Advocate and Notary **I. KANIKHA RAJA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I,VENUGOPAL B (VENUGOPAL BELLAMKONDI) S/o. Bhagavanthappa Setty B., date of Birth: 20-09-1975, residing at No.33, 3rd Cross, P F Layout, Near Standard English School, Marenahalli, Vijayanagara, Bangalore North, Vijayanagar, Bangalore - 560040, have changed my name from **B.VENUGOPALA (BELLAMKONDI)** to **VENUGOPAL B (VENUGOPAL BELLAMKONDI),** vide affidavit dated 3/11/2025 sworn to before Deepa M Advocate and Notary Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **GNANAKUMARAN MANOGARAN,** aged 41 years, S/o. Manoharan, Residing at No.1579, 12th Main Road, 6th Cross, Kodihalli, Jeevanbhimanagar, Bengaluru-560075, have changed my name to **GNANAKUMARAN MANOHARAN,** vide affidavit dated: 03.11.2025 before notary **S.I. BALAGURU,** Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **NERELLA SRAVANA LAKSHMI,** W/O R. R GIRI BABU, R/o G 10 A BLOCK Sriven Nest Apartment, VTC Varthur, PO: Vartur, Sub District: Bangalore South, District: Bengaluru 560087 Karnataka. have changed the name of my minor Son **RACHAMADUGU KAUSHAL,** aged about 15 years, and she shall hereafter be known as to **NERELLA KAUSHAL."** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 4/11/2025 sworn before Advocate and Notary **N. NAGAPPA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SAIRA MEHNAAZ,** D/o MOHAMMED TABREZ, aged about 18 years, residing at No. 260/C, 5th Block, 3rd Main, HBR Layout, Kalyananagar, Bengaluru North-560043, do hereby declare that my father correct name is **MOHAMMED TABREZ,** but in my passport my father name is wrongly mentioned as **MOHAMMED TABRAIZ** instead of correct name **MOHAMMED TABREZ** henceforth I shall be known and called as **MOHAMMED TABREZ** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 04/11/2025, sworn before Advocate and Notary **L. PUTTARAJU** at Bangalore.

DECLARATION

I, RITU DEVI, Spouse of No. 5758600P HAV Kamala Kant Ojha, residing at Lahana (Vill) Kanjharuan (Post) Buxar (Dist) Bihar (State) PIN:802126, have changed my name Ritu Devi DOB from **30/10/1985** to **07/02/1988** vide affidavit Dated 23/10/2025 sworn before Notary Meer Hassan, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SHAZIYA,** W/o MOHAMMED TABREZ, aged about 40 years, residing at No. 260/C, 5th Block, 3rd Main, HBR Layout, Kalyananagar, Bengaluru North-560043, do hereby declare that my husband correct name is **MOHAMMED TABREZ** but in my passport my husband name is wrongly mentioned as **MOHAMMED TABRAIZ** instead of correct name **MOHAMMED TABREZ** henceforth I shall be known and called as **MOHAMMED TABREZ** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 04/11/2025, sworn before Advocate and Notary **L. PUTTARAJU** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **MOHAMMED TABREZ** residing at No.260/C,5th Block,3rd Main,HBR Layout,Kalyananagar, Bengaluru North - 560043,do hereby declare that I have changed my Name from **MOHAMMED TABRAIZ** to **MOHAMMED TABREZ,** Also my Father's correct name is **MOHAMED FEROZUDDIN ,** but in my passport my father's name is wrongly mentioned as **MOHAMMED FIROZUDDIN** instead of Correct name **MOHAMED FEROZUDDIN** henceforth I shall be know and Called as **MOHAMED FEROZUDDIN** for all Purposes, vide affiliated dated 04/11/2025, sworn before Advocate and Notary **L. PUTTARAJU** at Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **PREETI DUBEY** D/o. H.S. TRIPATHI, residing at Flat No.302, Sania Retreat Apartment, 3rd Cross, Hanumanthappa Layout, Bangalore North, Bengaluru-560032, have changed my name from **PREETI DUBEY** to **PRIETY,** vide Affidavit dated: 05-11-2025, before Notary **SIVAKUMARA .M.N.** Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, Smt A Parvathi, W/o No. 2587047N Ex-Hav Vijaya M resident of VPO - Karihalli, Tehsil - Bangarpet, Dist - Kolar, Karnataka-563162 have changed my name from **A PARVATHI** to **PARVATHAMMA** vide Affidavit dated 18/10/2025 before **Meer Hassan,** Advocate & Notary, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, Miss H L Kushi D/O No. 15663970F Ex-Sigmn Lakshmish H G, resident of # 42, 10th Cross, Bairappa Garden, Banashankari 3rd Stage, 3rd Block Kathriguppe, Bangalore, Karnataka have changed my name from **H L KUSHI** to **KHUSHI H L** vide Affidavit dated 23/10/2025 before **Gangaraju B N**, Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, Smt N Chaya W/O No. 14593543P Ex-ACP Hav Prasanna Kumar D T resident of Vill - Rangavvana Hally, Post - Karikere, Tehsil - Challakere, Dist - Chitradurga, Karnataka have changed my name from N **CHAYA** to **CHAYA N** vide Affidavit dated 23/10/2025 before **V Mudalappa,** Advocate & Notary, Chitradurga.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, Smt G Vijaya Widowed D/O No. 1310939 Ex-Sepoy late Gopu Naidu resident of # 259, Lakshmanpuri, Gandhinagar, Post - K G Road, Bangalore Dist-Bengaluru Urban, Karnataka-560009 have changed my name from **G VIJAYA** to **VIJAYALAKSHMI** vide Affidavit dated 13/10/2025 before **S I Balaguru,** Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, Miss D P Priyanka D/O No. 14593543P Ex-ACP Hav Prasanna Kumar D T resident of Vill - Rangavvana Hally, Post - Karikere, Tehsil - Challakere, Dist - Chitradurga, Karnataka have changed my name from D P Priyanka to Priyanka D P vide Affidavit dated 23/10/2025 before **V MUDALAPPA,** Advocate & Notary, Chitradurga

CHANGE OF NAME

I, Miss D P Varsha, D/O No. 14593543P Ex-ACP Hav Prasanna Kumar D T resident of Vill - Rangavvana Hally, Post - Karikere, Tehsil - Challakere, Dist- Chitradurga, Karnataka have changed my name from **D P VARSHA to VARSHA D P** vide Affidavit dated 23/10/2025 before **V MUDALAPPA,** Advocate & Notary, Chitradurga.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, Miss D P Varun S/O No. 14593543P Ex-ACP Have Prasanna Kumar D T resident of Vill - Rangavvana Hally, Post - Karikere, Tehsil - Challakere, Dist - Chitradurga, Karnataka have changed my name from **D P VARUN to VARUN D P** vide Affidavit dated 23/10/2025 before **V MUDALAPPA,** Advocate & Notary, Chitradurga.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **Mrs. R. RINITTA LOUIS,** aged about 27 years, D/o Mr. Charles Arokiaraj and W/o Mr J. Roshan Louis, R/at No.99, 2nd main, 3rd Cross, Defence Colony, Indiranagar, Bangalore North, Karnataka-560038, do hereby declare that I have Changed my Name from **SWEETLIN AROSE RINITTA CHARLES AROKIARAJ** to **R. RINITTA LOUIS** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 27-10-2025, sworn before Advocate and Notary **N. NARAYANA SWAMY** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, MUNISWAMY MOHAN Son of MUNISWAMY, resident of Villa No. 48, Club Drive East, Prestige Woodside, IVRI Road, Near CRPF, Yelahanka, Bangalore- 560064, have changed my name from **MUNISWAMY MOHAN** to **M MOHAN,** vide Affidavit Dated 31-10-2025 Before Advocate and Notary **S PRAKASH,** Reg No. 7865/09, Bangalore, Karnataka.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, REVARAM DEWASI, residing at #701, 2nd Floor, 2nd Main Road, 6th B Cross, Prakashnagar, Srirampuram Post, Bengaluru 560021, have changed the name of my minor son from **JEETHU DEWASI** to **JEETHU R DEWASI** vide Affidavit dated: 03/11/2025, sworn before Notary MEER HASSAN, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, SEEMA DEWASI, D/o. Revaram Dewasi, residing at #701, 2nd Floor, 2nd Main Road, 6th B Cross, Prakashnagar, Srirampuram Post, Bengaluru 560021, have changed my name of **R SEEMA DEWASI** vide Affidavit dated: 03/11/2025, sworn before Notary MEER HASSAN, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **YASHWANT JAIN** Son of Rajesh Kumar Jain, aged 21 years, Residing at No. 197, Flat No. 303, 3rd Floor, 1st Main, 2nd Mallikarjuna Meadows, Dattatreya Extension, K.G. Nagar, Gavipura Extension, Bengaluru-560019 do hereby declare that, my names **YASHWANT.R. JAIN and YASHWANT JAIN** belongs to one and the same person, henceforth, I have decided to continue my name in future as **YASHWANT JAIN** vide affidavit dated: 04-11-2025 sworn before Advocate & Notary B.Chitra, Bangalore.

DECLARATION

I, **LOHITH KONDURU** also known as Lohith K, S/o K Kesava Raju, aged about 27 years, residing at No. 31, 2nd Floor, 3rd Cross, Krishnappa Layout, Amruthnagar, Bangalore 560092 do hereby state that I am known as **Lohith Konduru and Lohith K.** That my fathers is known as **K Kesava Raju and Kondur Kesava Raju**, and **Keshava Raju,** and all the names belong to my father only vide affidavit dated: 03-11-2025 sworn before notary C N Chandrashekar, Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **GEETA PRASAD,** W/O Prasad MP, aged about 55 years, Residing Address : 1108, Sobha May Flower Apartment, Green Glen Layout, Bellandur, Bangalore 560103, Karnataka, do hereby declare that, my names **GEETA VIJAYAN PRASAD and GEETA PRASAD VIJAYAN** belongs to one and the same person, henceforth, I have decided to continue my name in future as **GEETA PRASAD** vide affidavit dated: 13-10-2025 sworn before Advocate & Notary B.M. Chandrashekar, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **MALLIKA RAKSHIT VALI** W/O RAKSHIT VALI, AGE 33 YEARS, R/AT 3494/2,4TH MAIN, 6TH CROSS, MCCB BLOCK, DAVANAGERE, KARNATAKA – 577004, DO HEREBY DECLARE THAT BOTH THE NAMES I.E. **PATIL MALLIKA HAMPANAGOUDA** and **MALLIKA RAKSHIT VALI** ARE ONE AND THE SAME AND REFERS ME ONLY, NOW I HAVE CHANGED MY NAME TO **MALLIKA RAKSHIT VALI** FOR ALL FUTURE PURPOSE, VIDE AFFIDAVIT DATED 31-10-2025, SWORN BEFORE ADVOCATE & NOTARY JALANDHARA AT BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **UMA BOGANATHA MANJUNATH,** W/o Kaushik Y V, Residing at Flat No.307 3/F, Shravanthi Premier, Behind Om Collections, Uttarahalli Main Road, Subramanyapura Post, Bangalore-560061, Karnataka, India, have changed my name from **UMA BOGANATHA MANJUNATH** to **UMA KAUSHIK,** vide affidavit dated 04-11-2025 sworn before notary H G PADMANABHA RAO, Reg. No.12464, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, the Undersigned,
M.D. RAGHUNANDAN, aged about 47 years, S/o M. Damodarappa, presently R/at No.318, Kamalalaya, Pump House road, Behind JMFC Court, Anekal, Bangalore, Karnataka-562106 do hereby declare that I have Changed my name from **M D RAGHU** to **M D RAGHUNANDAN** henceforth I shall be known and called as **M D RAGHUNANDAN** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 04-11-2025, sworn before Advocate and Notary **D.S. CHANDRAKANTH** at Bangalore

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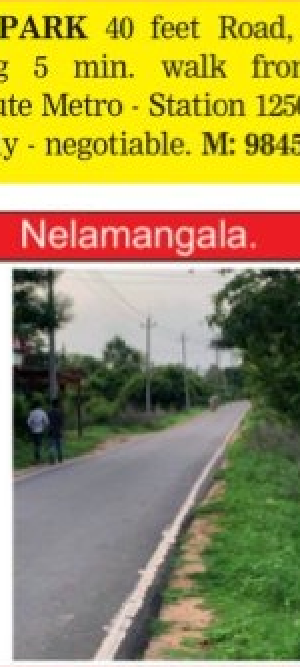

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Love U Muddu to immortalise a celebrated real-life romance

Director Kumaar discusses the challenges in bringing a real-life tale of courage and companionship into a heartfelt film featuring Siddu and Reshmaa

Kumar

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> - Kumaar, director

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KUMAAR, who is known for Chemistry of Kariyappa and Critical Keertanegalu, once again draws inspiration from reality. His newest film, *Love U Muddu*, which releases this week, tells the touching story of Akash Narayankar and Anjali Bhai Shinde. They are a young couple from Solapur, and their love has inspired many.

"When I discovered Akash and Anjali's story, I was left speechless," Kumaar shares, and adds, "It wasn't just about love; it was about commitment that remained strong even in life's toughest times. I wanted to bring that honesty and emotion to the big screen."

The film depicts the couple's journey from light-hearted fame to life-changing challenges. Many know their story from their heartfelt reels, which show how love can endure hardship while still being kind. Siddu and Reeshma portray Akash and Anjali, capturing both the innocence of their early days and the bravery they showed later.

Kumaar believes that cinema is most impactful when it is rooted in truth. He explains, "*Love U Muddu* is not about sympathy. It's about hope, strength, and the quiet power of standing by someone when others turn away."

The film's music is composed by Aniruddha Sastry. Kumaar notes that the soulful melodies convey the story's warmth. "Cinematographer Krishna Deepak has creates a soft visual tone that captures both the tenderness and struggles of the couple's journey," he says. The film also includes Rajesh Nataranga, Girish Shivanna, and Tabla Nani in significant roles.

While Kumaar has kept the real-life events subtle, he has allowed the emotions to guide the film. "I didn't want to replicate their lives exactly. I aimed to capture the feeling, the quiet beauty of love that does not need words to prove itself." With *Love U Muddu*, Kumaar presents a film that celebrates devotion, care, and the human spirit. "Through Akash and Anjali's story, I want to remind audiences that true love does not seek perfection. It simply remains, heals, and finds strength in the smallest moments."

Real life couple Akash Narayankar and Anjali Bhai Shinde along with actors Siddu and Reshmaa Kumaar

A still from the film

No one will invest in your dream until you do: Raghu Raja Nanda

A still from the film

CE FEATURES

AFTER six years on stage and more than 200 performances with the Ranga Vijaya troupe, Raghu Raja Nanda is entering a new world of storytelling. His debut feature *Rona*, releasing this week, marks his first film as a hero and also as a producer. It is a leap he takes with confidence and clarity.

As *Rona*, which also marks the directorial debut of Satish Kumar, reaches theatres this week, Raghu gets wings to his artistic journey. From school plays to theatre stages and now to cinema screens, he carries with him the same belief that brought him this far, hoping his talent finds the spotlight. The film also features Prakruthi Prasad as the female lead, with Sharath Lohithashwa playing a key role.

"I have always believed that no one will invest in your dream until you do," Raghu says. "Since I am a newcomer, I knew it was not fair to expect someone else to produce a film for me. I wanted to show my abilities on screen, and that meant taking the first step myself."

Rona is billed to be a political thriller, blending drama, suspense, humour, and action in equal measure. "The title may sound like a place, but it is not linked to any real location. We wanted a name that stays in people's minds and reflects the tone of the story," says the first-time actor.

Raghu credits his theatre experience for shaping his craft and discipline. "Theatre teaches you timing, patience, and respect for every department. Even the smallest backstage role gives you a sense of teamwork. I have tried to bring that same sincerity into *Rona*."

The film, made on a modest budget with the help of his close friends, is a product of shared passion and belief. "We did not have luxury, but we had dedication," he says, concluding, "Everyone gave their best, and that energy kept us going."

Raghu Raja Nanda

Nagabhushana to play lawyer in upcoming courtroom drama

A SHARADHAA

NAGABHUSHAN, who is best known for films like Ikkat, *Badava Rascal, Kousalya Supraja Rama, Tagaru Palya* and who was last seen in *Vidyapati*, is gearing up for his next project as the lead. The untitled film, officially launching this week, marks the directorial debut of Jaaish. The makers have kept the plot tightly under wraps, but reports suggest that the story will draw inspiration from the 2025 Telugu hit, *Court,* which was backed by Nani, directed by Ram Jagadeesh, and starred Sivaji, Priyadarshi Pulikonda, and Rohini, among others.

Actor Nagabhushana, who previously appeared in a legal setting in Vijay Kumar's *Salaga,* will now don the robe once more to play the lead in a courtroom drama. The upcoming film is produced by Mohan Babu. While a release date is yet to be announced, details about the cast and technical crew will be officially revealed during the launch event to be held this week.

This untitled project by debutant director Jaaish is set to be launched this week

Nagabhushana

RX Suri director Shrijay returns with a rugged story

CE FEATURES

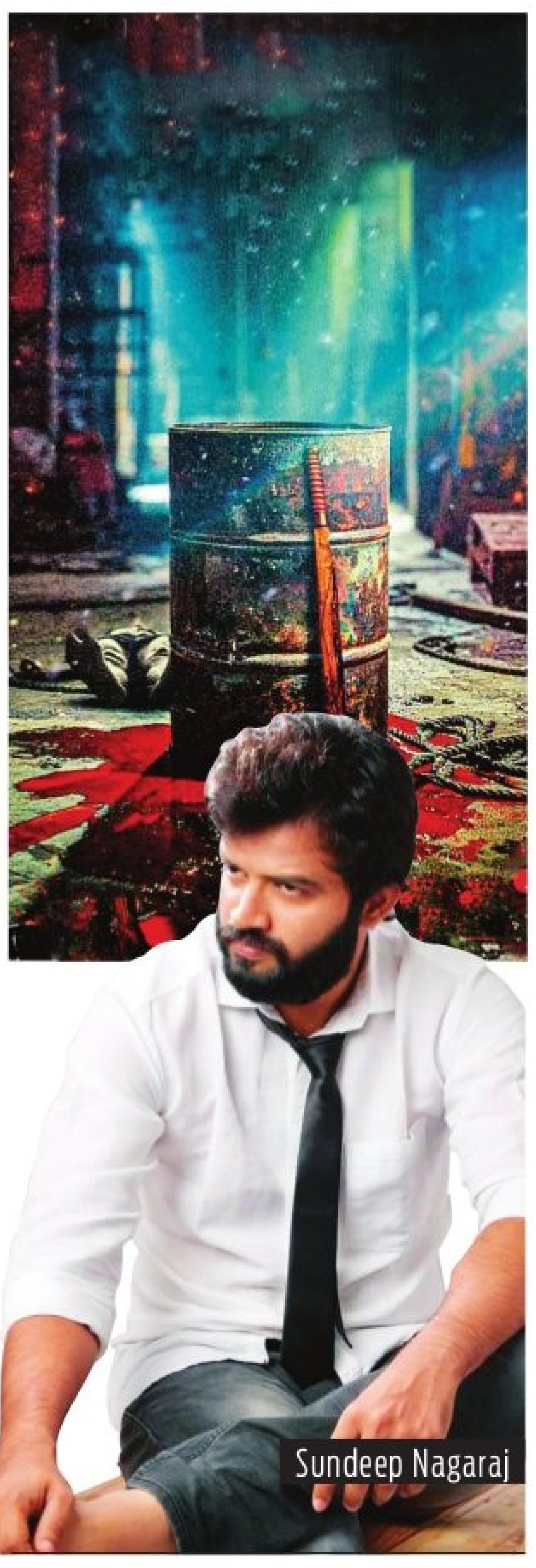
DIRECTOR Shrijai, known for films such as *RX Suri* and *Bhairadevi*, has announced his next project in collaboration with actor Sundeep Nagaraj. The film, currently referred as Production No.1, recently held its script pooja, marking the official commencement of the project.

Sundeep Nagaraj, who has previously appeared in films including *Googly, Anantu vs Nusrat Prabhutva,* and *1/2 Mentlu*, will play the lead role. For this film, he will sport a rugged and massy look, marking a notable change from his earlier roles. Early reports indicate that the story will focus on a gangster-themed narrative, which aligns with the director's interest in intense, realistic storytelling.

The production team released the first poster, and the design reflects the tone of the film, depicting elements such as blood, dirt, and ropes, suggesting the narrative may involve raw and challenging situations. The poster provides the audience with a preliminary sense of the film's visual and thematic direction.

The project is being produced under the banners of Dream World Cinemas and Radhakrishna Arts. Cinematography will be handled by Solomon, while music is set to be composed by KK Senthil Prashant, known for his work on Bhairadevi.

Sreejay


Sundeep Nagaraj

Ryan Reynolds on board *Eloise*

RYAN Reynolds is all set to star in Netflix's *Eloise*, with newcomer Mae Schenk also joining the film. Amy Sherman-Palladino, creator of shows like *Gilmore Girls* and *The Marvelous Ms Maisel*, has written and directed *Eloise*.

The film is based on a series of children's books written in the 1950s by Kay Thompson and illustrated by Hilary Knight. Sherman-Palladino has written the film along with Hannah Marks and Linda Woolverton. Schenk will essay the titular character with Reynolds playing the antagonist.

Reynolds was last seen in Deadpool and Wolverine, alongside Hugh Jackman, who returned as Wolverine. The film was directed by Shawn Levy, in his third collaboration with Reynolds after Free Guy and The Adam Project.

DESPERATE MEASURES

NAMRATA JOSHI

THE only thing certain about life is uncertainty, more so nowadays, in the politically turbulent, financially unstable, and socially precarious times. Park Chan-wook's *No Other Choice*, based on American writer Donald E Westlake's crime novel, *The Ax*, is a darkly comic look at the weird ways in which insecurity and desperation can come to manifest themselves, and the extent to which people can go to reclaim what has been snatched away from them.

Lee Byung-hun plays Yu Man-su, a paper expert. Having worked for 25 years at the leading firm Solar Paper, he leads a comfortable life with his wife Lee Mi-ri (Son Ye-jin), two children and two dogs in his newly refurbished childhood home surrounded by idyllic woods. But good days, like the bad ones, have a habit of not lasting forever. The rug gets pulled out from under his feet when Solar Paper gets taken over by an American firm, and Man-su is given the pink slip. Over the night, the lifestyle has to undergo a change. Mi-ri suggests putting the home up for sale, the fancy cars have to make way for the cheaper ones, and the dogs are sent away to her parents' so that there'd be fewer mouths to feed. The cello lessons for the prodigious daughter are set to face the axe, even though her teacher recommends a higher level of training given her brilliance. The couple's own dance and tennis outings stand cancelled, as does the Netflix subscription.

As jobs shrink and claimants to them increase, Man-su realises that his experience and expertise won't be enough to get him a coveted position at the rival, Moon Paper. In response to this cut-throat business of career maintenance, the middle aged man hatches a plan to eliminate the competitors to the coveted job. What follows are bizarre and riotous twists that are at once madly funny, graphically violent, and deeply poignant. Byung-hun plays his part—full of contradictions and conviction to rage against fate—with sincerity and relish, as does the rest of the impeccable ensemble. You can't help not feel for their problems and predicaments. Ye-jin shows a more mellow side as an actor. She is the moral fulcrum in the midst of all the unconscionable goings-on around her, often having her find her own ethics in conflict.

The South Korean entry for the Best International Feature Film category at the Oscars, *No Other Choice,* had its world premiere at Venice, followed by the North American premiere at Toronto and was the opening film at Busan, meeting with acclaim in each of its outings. The reason is easy to understand; the essential universality is such that it can connect with people in any country, culture, or context. Afterall, it's a relatable situation the world over: the cruel disparities at the heart of capitalism, the spectre of economic downturn and growing unemployment, and the extremes it can lead to. The finale is powerful and ironic, even as it makes one ponder the future of the man-machine dialectic and the yawning loneliness at the heart of it.

Chan-wook never lets the essential social commentary and critique—about workplace politics, brutalisation of labour, corporate one-upmanship—get the better of all that is cinematic and vice versa. He strikes a fine balance between the two and is at his inventive best in transplanting the American story specifically to South Korea to cook up a deliciously twisted scenario that is extremely engaging, incredibly entertaining, and also sets one thinking. Is there a killer lurking in the most benign? Can the normal actually be a paradigm of abnormality, and righteousness a front for immorality? Chan-wook's dexterity and craft are on great display while marrying the sound and visuals to the off-kilter plot and seamlessly handling the tonal shifts and transitions. A dance sequence plays out with as much flourish as the slicing of a human body. The disparate and contrary manage to converge and correspond; the dissonant threads get underlined by a unique sense of harmony. There's order in the chaos, method in the anarchy, and even the inhumane comes with a compassionate edge. The absurd times that we are in deserve Park Chan-wook's absurdist, audacious leap of imagination.

CINEMA WITHOUT BORDERS

In this weekly column, the writer introduces you to powerful cinema from across the world

No Other Choice

Pete Davidson, Ella Purnell join hands for *That Time We Met*

PETE Davidson, known for *Saturday Night Live*, *The King of Staten Island,* and *The Suicide Squad*, and Ella Prunell of *Fallout* and *Yellowjackets*-fame are set to star in a "cosmic romantic comedy" titled *That Time We Met*. The upcoming film is directed by Nick Lieberman and written by Mitchell Winkie. According to the makers, *That Time We Met* follows a new couple that discovers their unborn child is destined to save the future of humanity. The catch is that they have just had their first date, and now they hate each other.

Davidson will next be seen in *How to Rob a Bank*, directed by David Leitch for Amazon MGM Studios. The film is scheduled for a theatrical release in September 2026. On the other hand, Purnell is also working on the second season of Prime Video's *Fallout* series.